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FRESH TREMOR HITS TURKIYE, IMPACT FELT IN SYRIA, LEBANON

ANTAKYA: A 6.4-magnitude earthquake was recorded on Monday in Turkiye's southern province of Hatay, the hardest hit by a February 6 tremor which left more than 41,000 dead in the country, the disaster response agency AFAD said. Scenes of panic were reported as the new tremors raised clouds of dust in the devastated town. According to AFAD, more than 6,000 aftershocks have been recorded since the 7.8-magnitude quake hit Turkiye and Syria | **P14**

CHHATTISGARH

HEALTHCARE

Healthcare at People's Doorstep

Several initiatives by the Chhattisgarh Government have transformed the common citizen's access to healthcare

Haat Bazar Clinic: Delivering Quality Health Care in rural areas

As per the intention of the government, Garhbo Nava Chhattisgarh is committed to providing quality health facilities to the last person of in the villages and remote forest areas of the state. Launched under the guidance of Chief Minister Bhupesh Baghel and the Health and Family Welfare Department, it started on October 2, 2019, on the occasion of the 150th birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.

Due to shortage of doctors in rural hospitals, many times even basic health services are not available to the sick people on time, due to which the disease is not detected and in case of complications, the patients need to be referred to bigger hospitals. With the facility of check-up and treatment in Haat Bazar clinics every week, such patients are able to get basic health services quickly.

Due to the absence of pathology laboratories in rural and urban slum areas, patients had to travel to urban areas even for small tests. Now blood tests for diseases like blood pressure, diabetes, sickle cell, anemia, malaria, and typhoid are being done free of cost in the Haat Bazar clinic itself. This also leads to quick treatment in case of illness.

Since 2019 till now, a total of more than 48 lakh people have availed of the services of the Haat Bazar clinics. The Mukhyamantri Haat Bazar Clinic scheme, has been appreciated globally. Glimpses of Haat Bazar Clinics to be organised in the aspirational districts of the state have been presented on the WHO website, under which the Chief Minister's Haat-Bazaar Clinic operating in Sonpur village of Narayanpur district of the state is showcased.

The Bhupesh Baghel Government of Chhattisgarh is committed to providing health benefits to all citizens of the state. Under the ambitious D. Khubchand Baghel Swasthya Sahayata Yojana of the Government, the people of the state are being given the benefit of health insurance coverage.The main objective of the Bhupesh Baghel Government through the Dr. Khubchand Baghel Health Assistance Scheme is to provide quality health services to the citizens of Chhattisgarh, which can be easily accessible to needy families.

No poor family in the state is now deprived of health facilities. All are being given free treatment under the Dr. Khubchand Baghel Swasthya Sahayata Yojana. Poor families are getting their treatment without paying money. With the launch of this scheme, free treatment ranging from Rs 5 lakh to Rs 20 lakh is being given to citizens. Under the Dr. Khubchand Baghel Health Assistance Scheme, four times health benefits are being provided to all the beneficiaries as compared to Ayushman Bharat Scheme, the health mission of the Central Government.

Benefits are also being provided to the eligible deprived families under the socio-economic and caste census and all the ration card holder families of the state. Citizens are being provided the benefit of cashless treatment up to ₹50,000 or ₹5 lakh depending on their eligibility. Antyodaya ration card holder families are being given the benefit of free cashless treatment up to ₹5 lakh under the scheme. Apart from this, other ration card holder families are also being given the facility of free cashless treatment up to Rs 500,00 per annum under this scheme. Under the Dr Khubchand Baghel Health Assistance Scheme, the beneficiary, depending on his need, can go to a government hospital or otherwise.

To take advantage of the Dr Khubchand Baghel Health Assistance Scheme, the beneficiary have to go to Ayushman Mitra and register himself/herself, after which an e-card is issued to the beneficiary, on the basis of which the hospital will get the benefit of this scheme. With the meaningful efforts of Chief Minister Bhupesh Baghel, Chhattisgarh has become the only state in the country to provide health benefits under this scheme. With this health insurance scheme implemented in the state, citizens are getting rid of excessive expenditure on the treatment of diseases and the standard of healthcare of the state is also improving.

Storing Hope

Thanks to the efforts of the Government of Chhattisgarh to provide easy health facilities to the citizens in the state, now they are being able to access health facilities. Under the Shree Dhanwantri Generic Medical Store scheme, a huge discount of more than 50 per cent is being given to the common citizens on the purchase of high quality generic medicines. This has reduced the cost of treatment. Now more people are able to get treatment.

The Shree Dhanwantri Generic Medical Store scheme was started to provide high quality subsidised medicines to common citizens. Under the scheme, Shree Dhanwantri Generic Medical Stores have been opened in all 169 urban bodies of the state. 194 shops have been started and 329 types of generic medicines and 28 surgical items are available at discounted rates in these stores. With this, generic medicines are now easily available for common citizens.

It has been made mandatory for government doctors to write generic medicines on prescriptions. In order to ensure the quality of the medicine. A condition has been placed in these shops to provide generic medicines of reputed companies of the country. The medicines available include those for the treatment of cold, cough, fever, blood pressure, Insulin as well as critical Illnesses. Medicines, antibiotics, surgical items with a huge discount of a minimum 50 per cent are also available. In the forthcoming phase, arrangements will also be made for home delivery of medicines from these shops.

Boon for Women

The Chief Minister of Chhattisgarh, Bhupesh Baghel, started the Dai Didi Clinic for women on the birthday of former Prime Minister Indira Gandhi (November 19, in 2020). This scheme was started as a pilot project with three special mobile Dai Didi clinics for Raipur, Durg-Bhilai and Bilaspur Municipal Corporation areas.

The special thing in this scheme is that all the medical staff including doctors (MMU) in Dai Didi Special Clinic are women and only women and girls are being treated free of cost.

The major reasons for implementing the Dai Didi Clinic Scheme is that some women cannot openly tell the doctor about their problems. Because of this, proper treatment of their disease is not possible.

Therefore, the Chhattisgarh Government started this scheme for them, in which such an environment is being provided to women, by having female doctors and female staff in Dai Didi Clinic, that she gets proper treatment without any hesitation. Along with this, the Dai Didi clinic reaches their home and with the help of mobile clinic first aid, breast cancer screening by female doctor, training of beneficiaries for self-examination, regular and special examination of pregnant women is also going on.

Antyodaya ration card holder families are being given the benefit of free cashless treatment up to ₹5 lakh under the scheme.

Benefits of Dai Didi Clinic Scheme

- Women medical staff are providing free treatment to women and girls. Various examinations related to pathology of female patients are done and consultation and free medicines are being provided to female patients.

- In collaboration with Chhattisgarh Women and Child Development Department, this clinic is being set up in the slum areas near the Anganwadi located in the cities on a predetermined date.
- Along with mobile clinics, benefits of various beneficiary-oriented projects of the Chhattisgarh Women and Child Development Department are also being provided for pregnant women and children.
- It has emerged as the country's first special mobile clinic for women.
- Under the Dai Didi Clinic scheme, 1812 camps were organized in various slums in which more than 1.42 Lakh women patients have been treated.

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Kerala Rail Development Corporation Limited
E Tender

The following E Tenders are invited:-

(1) Tender No.KRDCL/PMC/KSRTC/2/2023 - Construction of Public amenity building in TVM. **(2)** Tender No.KRDCL/ARCH/1/2023/1 - Selection of Architectural & Engg design consultant. (3) Tender No.KRDCL/PMC/KSRTC/5/2023 - Renovation of KSRTC Malappuram Depot.
Tender documents can be downloaded from - www.etenders.kerala.gov.in
For more details www.keralarail.com

KERALA WATER AUTHORITY E-TENDER NOTICE
Tender No : WRD/KWA-CEP/TR/287/2022_26_1_1/2

Jal Jeevan Mission - WSS to Kanakkary, Mulakkulam, and Njeezhoor Panchayath - Ph-3 - Kanakkary - (Package - 2) - Pipeline Work. EMD : Rs. 2,00,000/-; Tender fee : Rs. 11025 + (1985) GST; Last Date for submitting Tender : 13-03-2023 03:00:pm; Phone : 0481 2562745 Website : www.kwa.kerala.gov.in, www.etenders.kerala.gov.in

Superintending Engineer
PH Circle, Kottayam

KWA-JB-GL-6-1663-2022-23

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

ICICI Bank | **Branch Office:** ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068

Whereas

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Bank Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/ her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Bank Limited.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs.)	Name of Branch
1.	V Sanjay Babu/ Usha V/ LBBNG00005352572	Schedule 'A' Property (Description on The Entire Property) All That Piece And Parcel of The Residential Sites Bearing New Bbmp Katha No.813/343/29 & 30/20/20, Site No. S 29 & 30, Old Katha No.20/20, Situated At Arehalli Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, Now Under The Limits of The Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Ward No.197, Measuring East to West 80 Feet And North To South 60 Feet, in Total Measuring 4800 Sq.feet., With All The Easements, Rights And Appurtenances Attached Therewith, Which Is Bounded on: East By : Site No.28 West By : Site No.31 North By : Road South By : Site No.43, 44 & 45 Schedule 'B' Property (Description of The Apartment Sold Herein) All That Piece and Parcel of The Apartment/ Flat Bearing No. G02, In The Ground Floor Portion of The Multi Storied Building Named As "bl Pristine", Put Up Over The Schedule 'A' Property Containing A Living Room, 2 Bhk, Toilets And Having A Super Builtup Area of 1125 Sq.ft., Equipped With Vitrified Tiles Flooring, Sanitary Fittings & Electrical and Other Facilities With Flush Doors & With Powder Coated Aluminum Windows & Ventilators, Teak Wood Frame With Engineered Veneer Finish Moulded Door For Main Door, Together With One (1) Covered Car Parking Slot in The Still Floor of Schedule 'A' Property. Schedule: C (description of Undivided Share Conveyed) Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest & Ownership in The Schedule 'A' Property Equivalent to 200 Sq.ft., Together With Proportionate Share in Common Areas Such As Passages, Lobbies, Lifts, Staircases and Other Areas of Common Use. Date of Symbolic Possession on 15/02/2023	07/06/2022 Rs. 39,87,725/-	Bangalore

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Date : February 21, 2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
ICICI Bank Limited

MUTHOOT FINCORP LTD. | GOLD AUCTION NOTICE

Regd. Office: Muthoot Centre, TC No 27/3022, Punnen Road, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala, India - 695001.
CIN : U65929KL1997PLC011518, Ph: +91 471 4911400, 2331427

Notice is hereby given for the information of all concerned that Gold ornaments pledged with under mentioned branches of the company for the period upto 31.03.2022 & MSGL, SPL-16, One plus, Guide Prepaid, Super value, ADGL and all other 6 months tenure Gold loans up to 30.06.2022 and MSGB, SME Suvarna & EMI due up to 31.12.2022 which were overdue for redemption and which have not been redeemed so far inspite of repeated notices, will be auctioned from 04.03.2023 from 10 am onwards.

ALUR-HASSAN: F3348, F3353, F3600, F3636, F3649, F3652, F3655, F3689, F3786, F3789, F3907, F3916, F3917, F3931, F3936, F4005, F4020, F4026, F4043, F4049, F4054, F4062, F4093, F4103, F4107, F4108, F4140, F4150, F4167, F4177, F4191, F4193, F4216, F4217, F4245, F4253, F4254. **ARAKALAGUD:** F11123, F11148, F11233, F11261, F11361, F11399, F11456, F11464, F11493, F11496, F11586, F11590, F11619, F11638, F11677, F11681, F11688. **ARSIKERE:** F14283, F14309, F14327, F14374, F16146, F16405, F19658, F25038, F25161, F25599, F25691, F25717, F25805, F25815, F25821, F25982, F26020, F26041, F26136, F26191, F26233, F26248, F26260, F26274, F26328, F26331, F26351, F26361, F26412, F26431, F26456, F26513, F26524, F26573, F26586, F26602, F26610, F26632, F26635, F26679, F26686, F26691, F26727, F26746, F26850, F26859, F26891, F26903, F26904, F26940, F27036, F27044, F27081, F27102, F27107, F27109, F27186, F27197, F27252, F27260, F27276, F27302, F27312, F27354, F27397, F27410, F27417, F27445, F27533, F27537. **ARSIKERE-APMC:** F10644, F10695, F10721, F10725, F10890, F10941, F10942, F10955, F10956, F10957, F10976, F10978, F11007, F11073, F11112, F11171, F11175, F11182, F11197, F11251, F11295, F11296, F11297, F11304, F11337, F11353, F11404, F11418, F11457, F7856. **BANAVAR-HASSAN:** F17237, F17604, F17609, F17621, F17627, F17676, F17702, F17715, F17716, F17763, F17773, F17791, F17817, F17828, F17830, F17836, F17841, F17846, F17853, F17854, F17917, F17931, F18001, F18133, F18160, F18188, F18195, F18208, F18218, F18221, F18222, F18230, F18233, F18234, F18237, F18240, F18245, F18255, F18257, F18274, F18277, F18324, F18337, F18340, F18341, F18374, F18387, F18390, F18426, F18437, F18444, F18450, F18465, F18486, F18524. **BASAVAPATNA-HASSAN:** F13723, F13761, F13782, F13812, F13869, F13940, F13942, F13963, F14014, F14015, F14113, F14116, F14140, F14199, F14230, F14235, F14248, F14253, F14255, F14256, F14306, F14318, F14319, F14320, F14328, F14333, F14346, F14375, F14382, F14389, F14391, F14405, F14420, F14463, F14480, F14494, F14498, F14508, F14528, F5239. **BELUR - HASSAN:** F6329, F6410, F6601, F7704, F7745, F7759, F7850, F7885, F7914, F8028, F8049, F8074, F8107, F8114, F8142, F8184, F8241, F8248, F8332, F8368, F8436, F8470. **CHANNARAYAPATNA:** F12905, F31519, F31756, F32081, F32327, F32333, F32353, F32365, F32380, F32397, F32417, F32471, F32488, F32566, F32756, F32784, F32988, F33042, F33098, F33117, F33152, F33190, F33268, F33392, F33418, F33467, F33473, F33550. **CHANNARAYAPATNA-KR CIRCLE:** F13992, F14046, F14048, F14087, F14242, F14299, F14349, F14485, F14493, F14578, F14652, F14663, F14666, F14706, F14726, F14747, F14830, F5341, F6327, F7485. **HALEBEEDU-KARNATAKA:** F12879, F13360, F13422, F13447, F13479, F13515, F13523, F13524, F13542, F13544, F13556, F13560, F13571, F13574, F13628, F13646, F13665, F13758, F13808, F13813, F13889, F13955, F14058, F14059, F14074, F14077, F14158, F14202, F14217, F14232, F14295, F14299, F14400, F8052. **HASSAN:** F46340, F46388, F47618, F52910, F52926, F52929, F52932, F53070, F53078, F53117, F53351, F53432, F53434, F53444, F53461, F53499, F53506, F53581, F53634, F53667, F53766, F53797, F53798, F53868. **HASSAN MARKET:** F15424, F15454, F15455, F15472, F15508, F15579, F15592, F15594, F15627, F15644, F15689, F15704, F15788, F15888, F15955, F16057, F16077, F16087, F9664. **HASSAN-HOYSALA NAGAR:** F13552, F13562, F13566, F13606, F13607, F13682, F13690, F13722, F13897, F13915, F13923, F13934, F13981, F13999, F14003, F14017, F14042, F14178, F14208, F14233, F14252, F14257, F14309, F7631. **HASSAN - MCE CIRCLE:** F12774, F12785, F12846, F12847, F12859, F12869, F12876, F12935, F13015, F13037, F13203, F13242. **HASSAN-MEDICAL COLLEGE:** F20446, F20722, F20837, F20841, F20853, F20906, F20970, F21042, F21112, F21139, F21210, F21328, F21335, F21472, F21508, F21519, F21550, F21590. **HETTUR-HASSAN:** 10992, F11246, F11318, F11438, F11462, F11537, F11618, F11623, F11659, F11673, F11674, F11675, F11692, F11788, F11797, F11809. **HIRISAVE-HASSAN:** F12492, F12535, F12569, F12686, F12700, F12762, F12764, F12833, F12849, F12850, F12933. **HOLENARASIPUR:** F28878, F29389, F30690, F53662, F53675, F53681, F53703, F53705, F53733, F53784, F53822, F53833, F53840, F53870, F53871, F53877, F53882, F53883, F53974, F54017, F54168, F54199, F54228, F54265, F54285, F54307, F54343, F54375, F54408, F54432, F54448, F54496, F54497, F54535, F54550, F54579, F54655, F54683, F54708, F54749, F54769. **HOLENARSIPUR - HASSAN MYSORE ROAD:** F17527, F17621, F17638, F17642, F17663, F17667, F17710, F17735, F17887, F17974, F17992, F18059, F18146, F18164, F18195, F18206, F18218, F18254, F18269, F18270. **KERALAPURA:** F19589, F19663, F19664, F19665, F19818, F19819, F19821, F19963, F20070, F20251, F20315, F20418, F20451, F20619. **NUGGEHALLI:** F4046, F4268, F4274, F4306, F4317, F4327, F4366. **RAMANATHAPURA:** F11134, F11325, F11368, F11375, F11378, F11383, F11391, F11396, F11402, F11417, F11423, F11429, F11431, F11496, F11576, F11596, F11600, F11705, F11723. **SAKLESHPUR:** F12662, F14347, F18744, F20270, F20303, F20557, F20578, F20588, F20669, F20716, F20721, F20748, F20753, F21582, F21682, F21805, F21850, F35002, F35296, F36448, F36532, F37178, F37239, F37241, F37263, F37359, F37394, F37429, F37437, F37439, F37491, F37492, F37505, F37521, F37527, F37562, F37567, F37579, F37583, F37585, F37596, F37612, F37617, F37624, F37633, F37645, F37663, F37677, F37731, F37862, F37966, F37969, F38010, F38072, F38113, F38185, F38188, F38197, F38211, F38217, F38241, F38284, F38285, F38319, F38351, F38401, F38425, F38454, F38472, F38503, F38578, F38582, F38585. **THANNIRHALLA CIRCLE-HASSAN:** F23897, F24046, F24049, F24120, F24292, F24304, F24373, F24387, F24487, F24520, F24526, F24530, F24534, F24576, F24595, F24596, F24626, F24628, F24652, F24674, F24728, F24819, F24911, F24927, F24956, F25071, F25148, F25160, F25251, F25275, F25350, F25378, F25383, F25396, F5800, F8448.

Auction will be conducted at respective branches. Please note if the auction does not get completed on the same day due to any reasons, the same will be conducted from 09.03.2023 at 10.00 am at Muthoot FinCorp Ltd., MRS Plaza Opposite Lalithamma Kalyana Mandapam, BM Road Thannirhalla Circle, Hassan - 573201. The bidders are requested to produce Photo Id card, Pan Card. The successful bidder should transfer the money through RTGS.

Muthoot FinCorp Ltd.

MAHILA CO-OPERATIVE BANK LTD.

A.O. # 14, South End Road, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore - 560 020.

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SALE CUM AUCTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Whereas the Bank auction through its Authorized Officer **Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd. Bangalore** In exercise of its powers under section 13(4) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (SARFAESI) has decided to put up for sale the schedule-1 part-A properties for realization of the schedule-1 part-B debts due to the Bank upon the following terms and conditions pursuant to default committed by the borrowers notice is hereby given under rule 8(6) of security interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 **that the sale of property described in scheduled-1part-A** shall be held by the Authorized officer as Per details set out here under.

Date of Sale	**28.03.2023**
Place of Auction	**Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd. A.O. # 14, South End Road, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore - 560 020.**

Schedule-1, part-A

Sl No.	Name of the borrower / Co-borrower	Description of property	Reserve Price in Rupees	EMD in Rupees	Time of Sale
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	**Smt. Saroja W/o R. Dinesh** No. 59, 'Nakshatra', 4th Main Road, Opp. Jai Hanuman Water Service Station, Near Railway Gate, Pipeline, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-40. **Guarantors: 1) Sri R. Dinesh S/o Late M. Ramaiah** No. 59, 'Nakshatra', 4th Main Road, Opp. Jai Hanuman Water Service Station, Near Railway Gate, Pipeline, Vijayanagar 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-40. **2) Sri Abhishek B.S. S/o Sridhar V.B.** No. 2, 4th E, 1st Cross, Vrushabhavathinagar, Kamakshipalya, Bengaluru-560079.	All that piece and parcel of Immovable property being land with residential building bearing Corporation No. 59, PID No. 33-17-59, (Old No. 5, Pipeline, Choluru Palya, Kempapura Agrahara) 4th A-Cross, Hosahalli, BBMP Ward No. 33, Bengaluru. **Measuring:** East to West: 20'-0" Feets and North to South: 30'-0" Feets having a total extent of 600 square feets and **bounded on the: East by**: Property of M. Subramanya, **West by**: Others Property, **North by**: Road, **South by**: Property of Krishnamurthy and Y William George.	**Rs.66,20,000/-**	**Rs.6,62,000/-**	**11.00 AM**

Schedule-1 Part-B	Name of the Borrower / Co-borrowers	Nature of Facility	Total dues
	1) Smt. Saroja, 2) Sri R. Dinesh, Sri Abhishek B.S.	**Mortgage**	**Rs.50,42,442/- Plus further Interest and cost from 17.02.2023**

***Amount already paid if any will be adjusted from total dues.**

In the event of Schedule- 1part-B debts and the costs of sale being tendered by the borrower on or before **27.03.2023** Before **4.00 PM** the Authorized Officer would stop the sale. No communication or offers would be entertained from the borrower once the sale in complete.

In the event of sale proceeds of schedule- 1part-A. properties is not sufficient to satisfy the Schedule -1 part- B debts then the Bank would take resources to the remedies available under law for recovery of balance amount.

Conditions of Sale:

1. Sale is being held on as is where is basis, what ever there and without recourse basis and the Bank is not responsible for title condition Or any other fact affecting the property.
2. The particulars specified in schedule-1 part-B have been stated to the best of information of the Bank and will not be answerable for any error misstatement or omission.
3. For the reasons recorded it shall be discretion of the Authorized officer to cancel / postpone the sale for any reason and return The bids Submitted and Bank would not entertain any claim or representation in that regard from the bidders.
4. The person declared to be the purchaser shall pay forth with on receipt of such declaration a deposit of 25% of sale price and Remaining Amount shall be paid with in 30 days from the date of conformation of sale by the Bank in the event of default said payment within the above Period the entire amount including EMD deposited by the person declared to be the purchaser shall be forfeited and the property shall be Resold and defaulting purchaser shall forfeit all the claims on the property and the amount.
5. On issuance of Sale Certificate by the Bank sale shall be complete and no claims shall be entertained by the Bank.
6. Nothing in this notice constitutes of will deemed to constitute any commitment or representation on the part of the Bank to sell the Property Bank reserves the right to cancel / postpone the sale for any reason it may deem fit or even without assigning any reason and Such cancellation shall not be called in question by the bidders.
7. The bank reserves the right to accept, reject any or all bids at any stage and vary modify and waive any condition of sale in its absolute Discretion.
8. Statutory dues like property taxes/cess and / or Builder / Society / Association / Apartment development charges/ dues, contribution to society funds, transfer charges, arrears of electricity dues, arrears of water charges etc. should be ascertained by the Bidder(s) /Offerer(s) /prospective purchaser(s) beforehand and the same should be paid by the purchaser prior to execution of the sale Certificate. The stamp duty, registration charges/fees as applicable in respect of the sale certificate to be executed and all expenses incidental to the sale shall be borne by the purchaser alone.
9. The Authorized Officer Auctions this property on as is where is basis and any issues / disputes shall not be entertained by the Authorized Officer after conclusion of auction proceedings. The successful bidder shall make his / her own arrangements to take the auctioned property In vacant /actual possession and no claims /demand is maintainable before the Authorized Officer by the successful bidder on conclusion of Auction proceedings.

Subject to the conditions of Sale Above sealed tenders are invited from the interested persons willing to purchase the Schedule-1 part-B Properties.

* Sealed tenders must reach the Authorized Officer at the address mentioned above on or before **4.00 PM 27.03.2023** along with Demand Draft towards the earnest Money Deposit (EMD) for the property and with the bid from duly completed. Bid form be collected From the **Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd.. Bangalore** Above address. The Demand Draft /pay Order shall be drawn on **Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd.. Bangalore** Payable at **Bangalore**. Cheques will not be accepted or EMD any bid accompanied by a cheque Is liable to be disqualified. The bids will be opened on **28.03.2023 by 11.00 AM** in presence of the Authorised officer & bidders present at **Bank Premises, Mahila Co-operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore .**

* Bid shall be unconditional and bids with conditions are liable to be reject.

* Incase highest bid being two or more and contain the same offer price. Authorized Officer may at his discretion arrange for open bidding interest the bidders, who have offered the same price

* In that event the amount at biddings is to be increased or the method of bidding shall be as decided by the Authorised Officer.

* Brokers / Middleman shall not to be entertained.

* Only bidder will be participate in public auction.

* The Sale Notice has been issued on 17.02.2023 to the borrowers.

For inspection of the properties and for details the interested person contact Authorised Officer on any working day between 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM or Mohan Gangadhar - Mobile: 8549009966.

Date: 21.02.2023
Place: Bangalore

Authorised Officer
Mahila Co-Operative Bank Ltd., Bangalore

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TENDER NOTICE

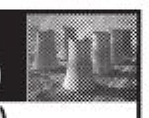
Online sealed item rate E-Tenders are invited from reputed electrical contractors for the works mentioned below at Cochin International Airport, Nedumbassery.

Sl.No.	Name of Work	Estimated Amount (Rs.)	EMD (Rs.)	Period of Contract
1.	HVAC works for the expansion of International air cargo infrastructure	461 Lakhs	5,00,000/-	06 months
2.	Elevator works for the expansion of International air cargo infrastructure	75 Lakhs	1,50,000/-	06 months

Interested agencies may register themselves on the online E-Tendering portal **https://etenders.kerala.gov.in** and download the Tender documents. For more details visit our website **www.cial.aero.**

Sd/-
MANAGING DIRECTOR

KARNATAKA POWER CORPORATION LIMITED



(Raichur Thermal Power Station)
CIN: U85110KA1970SGC001919

No.:KPCL/2022-23/PS/WORK_INDENT13433/CALL-2 Date:17.02.2023

TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through e-Procurement Portal Only) (Two Cover System)

Tenders are invited through GoK e-procurement portal **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** from the Contractors/Agencies who are reputed Individuals / company and having past experience for **"Painting Safety Boards and Designing Safety Sign Boards, Printing on High quality Flex and fixing on existing boards at RTPS.** EMD : **Rs. 20,000/-** Last date for submission tenders: **25.02.2023 upto 16:30 Hrs.** Opening of Technical Bids: **27.02.2023 at 16:00 Hrs.** Opening of Price Bids: **28.02.2023 at 16:30 Hrs.** Further details can be had from the **Executive Engineer (Safety),** RTPS, KPCL, Shaktinagar-584170, Raichur Dist. Mobile:+91-9480830634.

Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited

Online E – Auction Sale Of Asset

REGISTERED OFFICE: 27 BKC, C 27, G-BLOCK, BANDRA KURLA COMPLEX, BANDRA (E) MUMBAI, MAHARASHTRA, PIN CODE-400 051
BRANCH OFFICE: NO 22, 2ND FLOOR, KOTAK HOUSE, M G ROAD, BENGALURU-560001

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice For Sale Of Immovable Assets Under The Securitisation And Reconstruction Of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 Under Rule 8(5) Read With Proviso To Rule 9 (1) Of The Security Interest (enforcement) Rule, 2002.

Notice Is Hereby Given To The Public In General And In Particular To The Borrower (s) And Guarantor (s) That The Below Described Immovable Property Mortgaged/charged To The Secured Creditor, The Physical Possession Of Which Has Been Taken By The Authorised Officer Of Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd. ("The Bank") On 24.02.2022, Pursuant To The Assignment Of Debt In Its Favour By **Small Business Fincredit India Pvt. Ltd.** ,will Be Sold On "as Is Where Is", "as Is What Is", And "whatever There Is" Basis On **10.3.2023 Between 12:00 Pm To 1:00 Pm With Unlimited Extension Of 5 Minutes,** For Recovery Of **Rs. 51,02,997.84/- (rupees Fifty One Lakh Two Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Seven And Eighty Four Pasie Only) As On 16.2.2023 Along With Future Interest Applicable From 17.2.2023** Till Realization, With Cost And Charges **Under The Loan Account No.** PR00403025, Due To The Bank, Secured Creditor From **Mr. T N Krishna Raja (also Known As Mr. T N Krishna Raj) & Mrs. Akshtha B N. The Reserve Price Will Be** Rs. 52,65,000/- (Rupees Fifty Two Lakh Sixty Five Thousand Only) And **The Earnest Money Deposit Will Be** Rs. 5,26,500/- (rupees Five Lakh Twenty Six Thousand Five Thousand Only) **&** Last Date Of Submission Of Emd With Kyc Is **9.3.2023** Up To 6:00 P.m. (IST.)

Property Description: - Postal Address: -B2 Municipal No. 4, Pid No. 21-92-4, 1st Cross Road, G.e.f. Block, Industrial Town, Rajajinagar, Bangalore- 560010.

More Particularly Described As:- All The Piece And Parcel Of The Ground Floor Bearing Bbmp Katha No 04, Old No Bda Site No B2, Pid No 21-92-4, Measuring 1720 Square Feet Of Build-up Area Along With 1/8th I.e. 427.5 Square Feet Of Undivided Share Of Right, Title And Interest In The Land And Building Constructed At The Rear Portion Of The Industrial Area Site Bearing B 2, Measuring East To West (84+87)/2 And North To South 40 Feet, Situated At 1st Cross Road, G E F Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore, Comprised Of Ground And First Floor Building And Bounded On: East By : Property Belongs To Mr. T N Somshekar And Common Passage Entrance. West By : Property No A -19, And A -18, North By : Property Nos B/a,b/b &b/c, And South By : Property Nos B3b, B3a And B3c, Measuring East To West (84+87)/2 And North South 40 Feet, Admeasuring 1680 Square Feet. The Borrower's Attention Is Invited To The Provisions Of Sub Section 8 Of Section 13, Of The Sarfaesi Act, In Respect Of The Time Available, To Redeem The Secured Asset. Public In General And Borrowers In Particular Please Take Notice That If In Case Auction Scheduled Herein Fails For Any Reason Whatsoever Then Secured Creditor May Enforce Security Interest By Way Of Sale Through Private Treaty, At The Discretion Of The Secured Creditor. In Case Of Any Clarification/requirement Regarding Assets Under Sale, Bidder May Contact **Mr. Vijay Sundriyal (+91 9517532720), Mr. Nagaraj K (+91 8296621749), Mr. Vasantha Kumar H P (+91 9964722505) & Mr. Rajender Dahiya (+91 8448264515).** For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link https://www.kotak.com/en/bank-auctions.html provided in kotak mahindra bank website i.e. www.kotak.com and/or on https://bankauctions.in/

Place: Bangalore, Date: 21.02.2023 Authorized Officer, Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited

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KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No.:903/SEE/Tr(W&M)/EEE/T-1/22-23/CYS-74 Date: 20.02.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-Procurement mode only)

Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited invites Tender for the following works.

1) Bid Enquiry No: KPTCL/SEE/EE/AEE-1/22-23/110KV/STN-27/110KV Bellatti/3. Replacement of 1x10 MVA, 110/11kV transformer by 1x20 MVA, 110/11kV transformer alongwith switchgear at 110kV Bellatti sub-station in Shirahatti taluk, Gadag district including supply of equipments/materials, erection, civil works, testing and commissioning on Partial Turn Key Basis.

2) Bid Enquiry No: KPTCL/903/SEE/HBL/Tr(W&M)/EE(O)/AEE-1/2022-23/SWG/Hirekerur/Call-4. Tender for Providing additional 11kV 11C+ 6F MCVCB switchgear for bifurcation of overloaded 11kV feeders at 110kV muss Hirekerur, in TL&SS Division, Haveri on Partial Turnkey Basis.

The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the e-procurement process can be obtained by logging on to KPTCL website **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"eProcurement-KPTCL"** or directly logging on to website https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in/on or after **22.02.2023.** For more details can be obtained from the office of the under signed.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Elecl.),
Transmission (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Karavara Road, Vidyuthnagar, Hubballi.

NOTIFICATION
WALK IN INTERVIEW

Jagjivanram Hospital, Western Railway, Mumbai Central, Mumbai, will be conducting **walk in interview** for filling up below mentioned posts on **contract basis.**

The candidates may apply only **ONLINE** on our official website **http://203.153.40.19/bct(ekarmik)** as well as on **ekarmik bct downloadable application available in Google Play Store.**

The Date of Submission of ONLINE Application is from 22/02/2023 to 26/02/2023.

Application sent by post will not be accepted. The date of **walk in interview** will be informed through **SMS on the contact number** given by the candidate in the application form.

Walk In Interview Fixed on 28/02/2023, at 10.30 hrs. in the Chamber of Chief Staff Surgeon-II//Jagjivan Ram Hospital, Mumbai Central.

No other intimation will be given separately for walk in interview.

Venue: **7th Floor, Jagjivanram Hospital, Western Railway, Mumbai Central, Mumbai - 400 008.**
Registration Time **between 9.00 hrs. to 12.00 hrs.** on notified date. Application received after stipulated time will not be considered.

The details of Post, Remuneration, Age Limits, Reservation for which applications are invited.

Designation	Total Vacancy	Educational Qualification	Age Limit for the Post in Years as on Date of Notification	Remuneration in (₹) Per Month	Reservation
Part Time Dental Surgeon (04 hrs. a day)	**02**	**BDS (DCI Recognised Candidate must beYears registered with DCI/MDC. Should possess three years working experience after completion of BDS or MDS)**	**60**	**36,900/-**	**UR-1 & OBC-01**

Selection will be through the process of **walk in interview**. After verification of documents, only those candidates who are found eligible will be allowed to appear for **walk in interview**. **All documents to be produced in ORIGINAL at the time of Walk In Interview along with the attested Xerox copies.** Candidates applying against OBC Quota should bring OBC Valid Certificate issued by Competent Authority in Central Government format and also updated i.e. current OBC Non Creamy Layer Certificate from Competent Authority.

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BRUHAT BENGALURU MAHANAGARA PALIKE

Office of the Executive Engineer, Bengaluru South
Constituency Lakes Division, Room No. 309, 3rd Floor,
New Building, BBMP, N.R. Square, Bengaluru-560002

No.: EE-(South Constituency)/Lakes/TN-9/2022-23 Date: 20.02.2023

SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION

(Through GOK e-Procurement Portal Only)

Tenders on item rate basis are invited by the undersigned for the work mentioned below from the reigstered contractors of Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike or equivalent registration with CPWD / KPWD / Railways / MES or any State Government Organisations.

Sl. No.	Name of the Work	Approximate value of work (Rs. in Lakhs)	EMD (in Rs.)
1	Providing Chainlink fencing to lake boundary in Bommanahalli Zone and Bengaluru South Zone (POW WORK)	84.00	1,68,000.00

Calender of events: (1) Tender documents can be downloaded from the GOK e-procurement website **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** from **20.02.2023. (2)** Last date and time for receipt of tenders: **06.03.2023** upto **4:00 p.m. (3)** Prebid meeting: **27.02.2023** at Office of the Executive Engineer, Bengaluru South Constituency Lakes Division, Room No. 309, 3rd Floor, New Building, BBMP, N.R. Square, Bengaluru-560002. **(4)** Opening of Technical bid tender document: **08.03.2023** at **4:30 p.m.** Further details may be obtained from the above office during office hours or website **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
Bengaluru South Constituency Lakes Division, BBMP

Varthana Finance Private Limited

(Formerly known as Thirumeni Finance Private Ltd.,)

Registered Office at : No. 5BC-110, Varasiddhi, Outer Ring Road, Service Road, 3rd Block, HRBR Layout, Kalyan Nagar, Bangalore-560043. Website www.varthana.com, Email: care@varthana.com, Phone: 080-68455777, Branch Office : Varasiddhi, 5BC-110, 3rd Floor, Service Road, 3rd Block, HRBR Layout, Bangalore- 560043.

POSSESSION NOTICE

[Rule 8(1)] (For Immovable property)

Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **M/s. Varthana FinancePrivate Ltd., (Formerly Known as M/s. Thirumeni Finance Private Ltd.,)** Bangalore Branch, Under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement)Rules, 2002 issued a **Demand Notice dated: 29-10-2022,** calling upon the **Applicants/Co-Applicants/ Mortgagors, in Loan Account No. BLR4021S, U21BLR-BLR-017069,U20BLR-BLR-014930, 1). M/s. Sree Vidya English School,** Represented by its Authorised Signatory, **2). M/s.Shree Vidya Education Society,** Represented by its Authorised Signatory, No. 1 and 2 are having office at Janatha Colony, Sulibele, Hoskote, Bangalore- 562129., **3). Mr. Srinivas K S,** S/o. Subramani, Kallahalli Village, Kumbalahalli Post, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore - 562114., **4). Venkateswara Rao B S,** S/o. B V Srinivas Murthy, No. 377, 13th Cross, 9th Main, Vyalikaval, Bangalore -560003., to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice being a sum of **Rs.32,84,908/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Eighty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eight Only)** as on **21-10- 2022,** to pay agreed contractual rate of interest together with incidental expenses, cost and other charges etc., as details mentioned in the Demand Notice, till the date of payment, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

However the Applicants/Co-Applicants/Mortgagors herein above having failed to repay the full amount with interest/other charges, notice is hereby given to the Applicants / Co-Applicants / Mortgagors in particular and to the public in general that the undersigned being Authorized Officer of the **M/s. Varthana Finance Private Ltd, Bangalore** has taken POSSESSION of the properties described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said Act, read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 on this day of **17-02-2023.**

The Applicants/Co-Applicants/Mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of the **M/s. Varthana Finance Private Ltd., Bangalore,** for an amount of **Rs.32,84,908/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lakh Eighty Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eight Only)** as on **21-10-2022** with agreed contractual rate of interest as mentioned herein above until the date of payment together with incidental expenses, cost and other charges. The Applicants/Co-Applicants/Mortgagors attention is invited to provisions of Section 13(8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured Assets.

Description of the Immovable Property/ies: **Schedule "A" Property :-** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No. 173, Kallahalli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural and bounded as under. East By : Mr. Hanumanthappa Property, West By : Road, North By : Gramatana Road, South By : Greamatana Road., **Schedule "B" Property :-** All that piece and parcel of the property bearing No. 174,Kallahalli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore Rural and bounded as under, East By : Gramatana Property, West By : Road, North By : Gramatana Property, South By : Gramatana Property.

Date: 21–02-2023, Place: Kallahalli Authorised Officer, Sd/- Varthana Finance Private Limited

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VEERASHAIVA SAHAKARI BANK LTD.,

Administrative Office : No. 1732/32, M.C.Road,
M.C.Layout, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru-560040
Phone : 23307070 / 23358017 Fax : 23148550
E-mail : vsbbengaluru@gmail.com

POSSESSION NOTICE

(For Immovable Property) [rule 8(1)]

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorized officer of **Veerashaiva Sahakari Bank Ltd.,** Administrative Office No.1732/32, M.C.Road, M.C.Layout, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru-560 040 under the **Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002** and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a demand notice calling upon the borrower to repay the amount mentioned in the Demand Notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice towards the loan facilities availed from our **Vijayanagar Branch.**

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him / her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 9 of the said Rule.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the respective property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **Veerashaiva Sahakari Bank Ltd.,** No. 1732/32, M.C.Road, M.C.Layout, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru-560 040

Description of the Immovable Property

1. **Name & Address of the Borrower** : **Sri Ramakrishna M.**
S/o Mahendra G,
No. 14 'Ganesha Nilaya', 3rd Cross,
Anubhavanagara, Nagarabhavi Road,
Bengaluru - 560072

Name & Address of the Guarantors : **1) Smt. R. Rajeswari**
W/o Ramakrishna M.
Residing at above address

Loan A/c No. : **MTLN / 539 & SURLN / 1942**
(Vijayanagar Branch)

Outstanding Balance : **1) MTLN / 539 -** Principle Balance
Rs. 15,82,968/- (Rupees fifteen lakh eighty two thousand nine hundred sixty eight only) and interest due **Rs.49,254/-** (Rupees forty nine thousand two hundred fifty four only) and

2) SURLN / 1942 - Principle Balance
Rs. 77,921/- (Rupees seventy seven thousand nine hundred twenty one only) and interest & other charges due **Rs. 1,900/-** (one thousand nine hundred only) as on 14-02-2023 Further interest & other charges as applicable

Date of Demand Notice : 19-09-2022
Possession taken on : 14-02-2023

Description of the Immovable Property : All that part and parcel of the property bearing Vacant Site No. 1130, Property No. 838/1130, Khata No. 1130. 9th Block, 2nd Stage, Nagarabhavi, BBMP Ward No. 73, Bengaluru.

Measuring : East to West : 8.85 Mts., North to South : 6 Mts..
Total : 53.10 Sq Mtrs., standing in the name of Borrower and bounded by :

East by : BDA Property
West by : Road
North by : Site No. 1131
South by : Site No. 1129

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Veerashaiva Sahakari Bank Ltd.,
Bengaluru-560 040

Bengaluru
Date : 20-02-2023

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BIDEN PAYS SURPRISE VISIT TO KYIV AHEAD OF THE WAR'S ANNIVERSARY

The US president on Monday made an unannounced visit to Ukraine to meet with its president Volodymyr Zelenskyy

ONE YEAR LATER, KYIV STANDS, SAYS U.S. PREZ

Biden spent more than five hours in Ukrainian capital Kyiv, meeting Zelenskyy at Mariinsky Palace, honouring the country's fallen soldiers and meeting with US embassy staff. In his remarks with Zelenskyy, Biden recalled the fears nearly a year ago that Russia's invasion forces might quickly take city. "One year later, Kyiv stands," Biden said | **P14**

UKRAINE TO GET ADDITIONAL $500 MN AID

- Zelenskyy said he and Biden spoke about "long-range weapons and the weapons that may still be supplied to Ukraine even though it wasn't supplied before," adding: "our negotiations were very fruitful"
- In Kyiv, Biden announced an additional half-billion dollars in US assistance "on top of the more than $50 billion already provided"

Feb 24

WILL MARK THE ANNIVERSARY OF RUSSIA'S INVASION OF UKRAINE

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Ahead of Raipur meet, Chhattisgarh Congress leaders get ED knock

EJAZ KAISER AND PREETHA NAIR @ Raipur/New Delhi

THE Enforcement Directorate on Monday raided the premises of over half-a-dozen Congress leaders in Chhattisgarh in connection with a coal levy scam, days before the party's Raipur plenary session, drawing criticism of political vendetta.

The scam involves a cartel comprising senior bureaucrats, businessmen and politicians, which the ED claims illegally extorted ₹25 per tonne of coal transported in the state, generating an estimated ₹2-3 crore of black money each day.

The locations where searches were underway included those of MLA Devendra Yadav in Bhilai (Durg district), Chhattisgarh Pradesh Congress Committee treasurer Ramgopal Agrawal, chairman of Chhattisgarh State Building and Other Construction Workers Welfare Board Sushil Sunny Agrawal and the party's state spokesperson R P Singh in Raipur.

The three-day Congress plenary is scheduled to start on February 24. Calling the raids a cowardly act by the BJP, Congress chief Mallikarjun Kharge said the party will not be cowed down by such tactics.

He alleged that 95% of the raids conducted by ED in the last nine years were on Opposition leaders, mostly from Congress. "It is evident BJP is rattled by the success of Bharat Jodo Yatra. The attempt to suppress democracy will be challenged by Congress," he said in a tweet. "If Modi-ji has even a shred of integrity, I challenge him to raid his best friend's mega-scams," he added.

BJP said the party has nothing to do with ED's action. "When the ED initiates actions against corrupt officials and leaders in Chhattisgarh, how does the BJP comes into the picture?" asked ex-CM Raman Singh.

This was a follow-up raid after the ED's extensive raids in Chhattisgarh last year led to the arrest of nine persons, including kingpin Suryakant Tiwari, his uncle Laxmikant Tiwari, IAS officer Sameer Vishnoi and Baghel's aide Soumya Chaurasia.

ROOPA VS ROHINI: GOVT REPRIMANDS BOTH

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

AS two top women bureaucrats in the state continue to spar in the open, putting the authorities in an embarrassing situation, the state government reprimanded and directed both to refrain from going public with their allegations and counter allegations.

Even as Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai took note of the developments, despite his preoccupation with the state legislative session, Chief Secretary (CS) Vandita Sharma summoned IPS officer Roopa D Moudgil and IAS officer Rohini Sindhuri to seek their explanation.

IGP Roopa D Moudgil (left) and IAS officer Rohini Sindhuri at Vidhana Soudha after meeting Chief Secretary Vandita Sharma in Bengaluru on Monday | EXPRESS

While Sharma directed both officers to abstain from making allegations in the public domain, Bommai said, "The officers have met the CS and submitted their complaints. They have been asked to maintain decorum and I hope they will."

Meanwhile, even as Rohini filed a police complaint against Roopa at Bagalagunte police station but no case was registered, the IPS officer continued her tirade on social media.

Rohini, who met Sharma first, told reporters that Roopa was making baseless allegations against her which she has brought it to the notice of the chief secretary.

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Imran appears before court, avoids arrest

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

FORMER Pakistan prime minister Imran Khan on Monday thwarted the government's plan to arrest him by personally appearing before the Lahore High Court, which granted him protective bail till March 3 in a case linked to violent protests by his supporters following his disqualification by the election commission.

Justice Tariq Saleem Sheikh had directed 70-year-old Khan to appear before court for hearing of his protective bail petition in the case. His court appearance came amid high drama as hundreds of his supporters thronged the court premises to show their support for the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) leader. Imran overshot the deadline of reaching the court by 5 pm as he could reach only by 7.30 pm as the huge crowd of PTI activists prevented him from entering.

During the hearing, Imran said he respected courts and added his doctors had advised him against walking due to his leg injury. Earlier, Imran's counsel requested the court to verify his client's presence through the court staff as the PTI chief was facing difficulty in entering the court due to security reasons.

EXPRESS READ

Veteran film director SK Bhagavan no more

BENGALURU : Veteran Kannada film director S K Bhagavan, who helmed many blockbuster movies with matinee idol Dr Rajkumar, died on Monday due to age-related ailments. **CE:P4**

EXPRESS INTAKE

S'mogga airport to be named after Kuvempu: Cabinet | P6

Many toilets in Karnataka not in usable condition, admits CM | P6

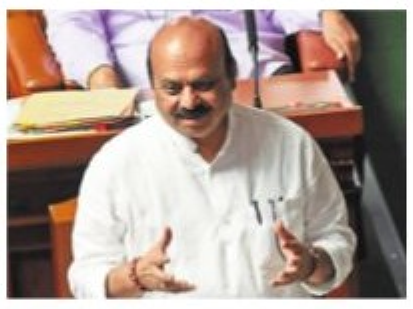
FIR against 8 for attacking Dalits in Koppal district | P7

Bommai tears into Cong on graft

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

MAKING a strong defence of his government in the face of a series of corruption charges made by opposition Congress, Chief Minister **Basavaraj Bommai** on Monday challenged Congress leaders to come clean on allegations of corruption against them, and said till then, they have no moral right to speak on corruption.

Speaking on the floor of the Assembly, Bommai said when Siddaramaiah was chief minister, three surveys were conducted, all of which ranked Karnataka as the most corrupt state. "For many works, including TenderSURE, bidders who quoted more than 53 per cent were awarded contracts. Many road works were given to bidders who quoted 47 per cent. Corruption and Congress are two faces of the same coin," he commented. During the Siddaramiah government, 59 charges of corruption were made before the Anti-Corruption Bureau. "Instead of investigating the allegations, they made the Lokayukta powerless. All the 59 cases were diluted either by issuing B reports or not initiating inquiries. We are re-routing all these complaints to the Lokayukta. Congress is fooling people. Congress leaders were safeguarding corruption. They are pasting posters which is an all-time low in politics," he said.



"When Congress members and the Civil Contract Association made allegations of 40 per cent commission against our government, I asked them to furnish proof to me or to the Lokayukta or to the Court. But they did not," he said. **P7**

BANGALORE DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
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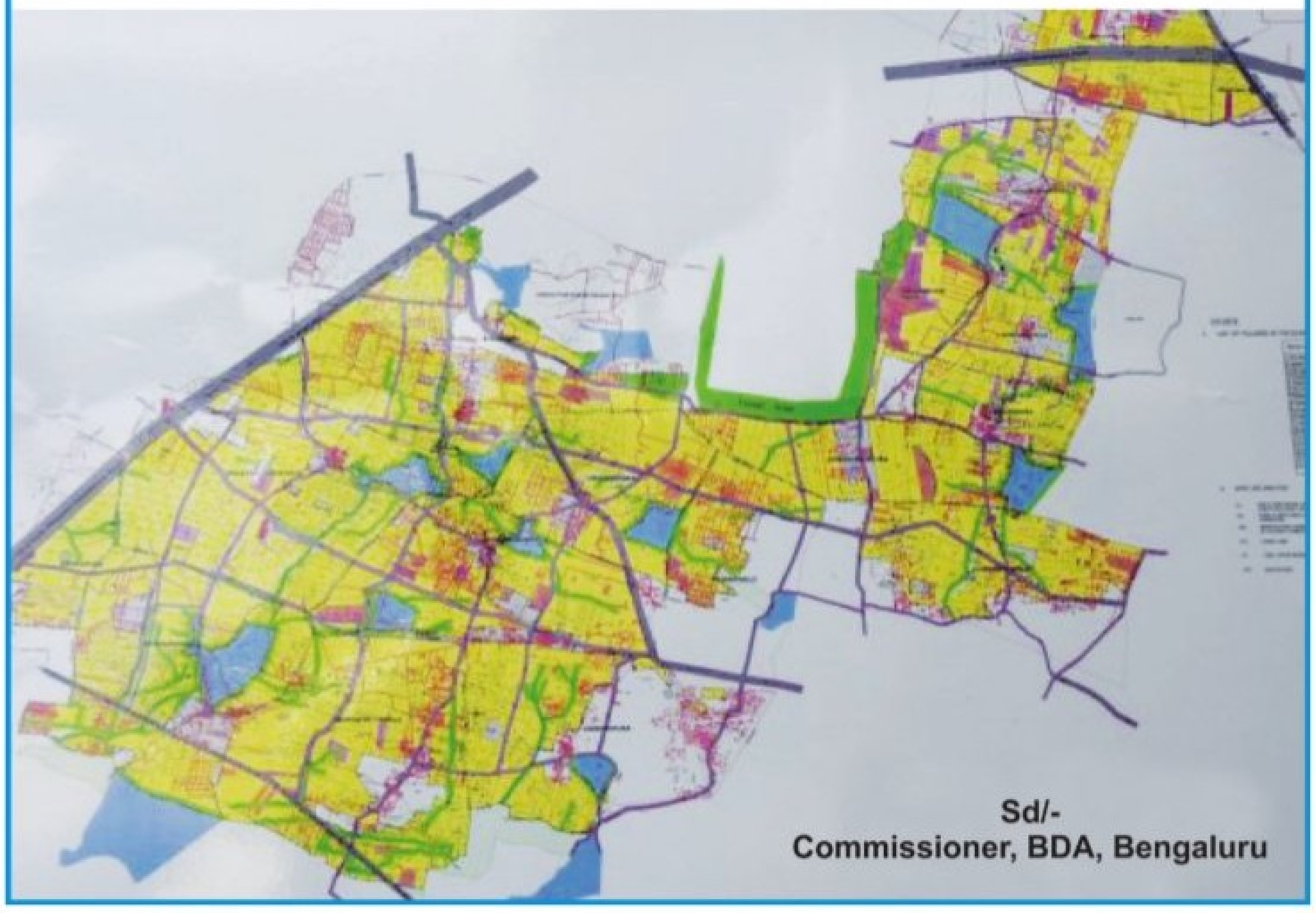
Dr. K. Shivarama Karantha Layout
Bengaluru

Date: 20.02.2023

On the recommendations of the Justice Chandrashekar Committee, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India has regularized 5171 Buildings. The work of formation of the Layout has now started. This will continue to be monitored by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India. The next hearing of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on matters connected with the Dr. K. Shivarama Karantha layout is on 3rd March 2023. This is for information of general public.



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- **Tuesday:** 21/02/2023 • **Year:** Shubhakruta • **Ayana:** Uttharayana
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- **Nakshatra:** Sathabhisha 11.11 am • Moon in Meena Rashi • **Rahukaala:** 03:00 am to 04:30 am
- **Gulikakala:** 12:00 pm to 01:30 pm • **Yamaganda:** 09:00 am to 10:30 am

WEATHER

MIN	MAX
15°C	32°C

FORECAST sunny

Sunrise	6.39 am
Sunset	6.27 pm
Moonrise	7.31 am
Moonset	7.39 pm

SHETTAR CORNERS SIDDU WITH ARKAVATHY LAYOUT REDO

Former CM clarifies it was done as per orders of the Karnataka High Court

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ARKAVATHY Layout redo and denotification issue kicked up a storm in the Assembly on Monday with former chief minister **Jagadish Shettar** questioning leader of opposition Siddaramaiah why he did not place the Justice Kempanna commission report before the House.

Earlier, Siddaramaiah had skipped the session due to health reasons. Ruling party members, including Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai, had alleged there had been corruption during Siddaramaiah's tenure between 2013-18. Siddaramaiah arrived in the afternoon and asked why the then opposition leaders including Bommai and Shettar did not raise the issue.

Shettar responded saying that as the leader of opposition he had raised the Arkavathy Layout redo issue on many occasion in the House, and sought the placing of Justice Kempanna report for discussion. "During your tenure, you didn't place the report. Now, you are alleging corruption in the government based on contractors' association president D Kempanna's allegation of 40 per cent commission," Shettar told Siddaramaiah, adding that a commission should have been set up with a sitting judge as the chairman.

Siddaramaiah said that another committee was set up chaired by former chief secretary Vijay Bhasker to give recommendations based on Justice Kempanna's report, and since there was no time and with the model code of conduct in force for the 2018 Assembly polls, the report could not be placed.

"The BJP government has been in power for four years. Why haven't you placed the report in the House," he asked.

Siddaramaiah clarified that the redo was done in compliance with the order of the Karnataka High Court as there were contempt petitions pending before it against the officials.

"The word redo is also not mine, it is of HC's. Kempanna's report had clarified that as CM, I had not done the denotification," he said.

Reacting to BJP MLAs' allegations of weakening Lokayukta and setting up of ACB, Siddaramaiah said that it was necessary as the then Lokayukta Bhaskar Rao's son was allegedly involved in corruption.

"In BJP-ruled states of Gujarat, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Goa, Haryana, there is no Lokayukta, but there is ACB. Even in Karnataka, the government established Lokayukta not on its own but on the orders on the high court," he said.

Siddaramaiah also claimed that as CM, he had given nine cases, including the suspicious deaths of DySP Ganesh, IAS officer DK Ravi, murder of Paresh Mesta, to the CBI when Congress was not in power in the Centre. When BJP's Rupali Naik alleged that Siddaramaiah had destroyed the evidence by then, it led to a pandemonium with MLAs of both sides embroiled in mud-slinging.

Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister JC Madhu Swamy suggested that Siddaramaiah should be debating on the budget.

KPCC president DK Shivakumar joins the protest against the construction of Sankey Road flyover in Bengaluru on Monday | TWITTER

Now, Cong joins protest against Sankey flyover

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OPPOSITION Congress leaders joined the activists and Residents' Welfare Associations in protesting against the construction of Sankey flyover at Bashyam Circle on Monday. The Congress leaders were taken into preventive custody.

The leaders, led by KPCC president DK Shivakumar and its working president Ramalinga Reddy, urged the Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) to stop the Sankey road widening and also the flyover worth Rs 60 crore. The police warned the agitators to leave the place, but the Congress leaders and workers blocked the roads and protested. As a precautionary measure, some of the youth Congress workers were taken into preventive custody.

"The flyover is unscientific. This appears to be a contractor oriented work and the government is pushing it without hearing out the residents of Malleswaram, Vyalikaval and its surroundings. We launched the protest to instil confidence into the residents and activists, and show them we are with them in their fight against BBMP and the government," said Reddy.

The residents and activists had met Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai on February 3. On Sunday, the residents asked KPCC president DK Shivakumar and other party leaders to raise the issue in the Assembly, after which the opposition party launched the protest at Sankey road. "We are happy that Congress came and expressed solidarity and has promised that they will take up the issue in the Assembly. They were patient and listened to our concerns regarding Sankey road widening and the flyover," said Preeti Sunderajan from Citizens for Sankey.

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> Ramalinga Reddy, KPCC working president

Flouting HC ban, 'Silent' Sunil puts up posters on Mysuru Road

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AFTER causing an embarrassment to the ruling dispensation by sharing the dias with the party's top leaders, now 'Silent' Sunil's poster wishing Mahashivratri has come up on Mysuru Road, despite a high court order banning posters, flexes and banners in public places.

In the banner, the history-sheeter is seen draped in a saffron shawl. There are other leaders including Savarkar on the banner, which indicates his efforts to impress the ruling BJP to consider him as the candidate for the Chamarajpet Assembly constituency.

Reacting to the poster menace, BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath said that on his direction, officials are already removing flexes across the city and also taking actions. "We will remove the flexes and banners, and file cases," said Girinath.

However retired superintendent of police SK Umesh said that he is aware about the menace. "The BBMP is dancing to the tunes of leaders. Some years earlier, when HC pulled up the authorities, there was not a single banner. Now even rowdy elements are putting up banners. Someone should file a contempt petition in this regard stop the city from being covered up by posters and banners," he said.

EXPRESS READ

Agniveer registration ends on March 15

Online registration for the CEE for Agniveer recruitment for 2023- 24 has opened from February 16, 2023 and the last date for application is March 15, under the aegis of HQ Recruiting Zone, for male candidates from Bengaluru Rural and Urban, Tumakuru, Mandya, Mysuru, Ballari, Chamarajanagar, Ramanagara, Kodagu, Kolar, Chikkaballapura, Hassan, Chitradurga and Vijayanagara districts. Online CEE will be held between 17 April and 4 May 2023, and results will be announced from May 20.

'Golden opportunity to complete degree'

Belagavi: Commemorating its silver jubilee, Visvesvaraya Technological University, Belagavi, has extended a golden opportunity to its old students who were unable to complete their degrees. VTU's executive council has already approved to conduct two special examinations for the UG and PG students. These special exams will be held during April/May 2023 and October/November 2023.

Steps taken to benefit real estate, says Ashoka

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REVENUE Minister **R Ashoka** said, "Sections 79 A&B and Section 109 of the Karnataka Land Reforms Act have been repealed which will benefit the real estate sector. The time taken for land conversion has also been brought down to seven days." He was speaking at a two-day state conference on 'Realty in a 5-trillion economy' organised by the Karnataka chapter of CREDAI on Monday.

Ashoka claimed that the state government has undertaken various measures to bolster the realty sector along with CREDAI.

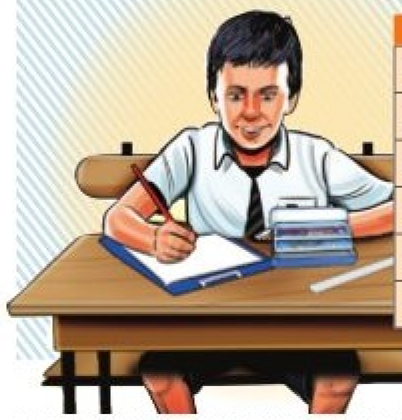
"We request the state government to bring in changes in policy to enable the Ease of Doing Business, including a single-window clearance for approvals with a time frame," said Bhaskar T Nagendrappa, president, CREDAI, Bengaluru.

At the conference, CREDAI forged a collaboration with Apartment Owners' Welfare Associations to extend services by builders beyond their mandatory period. The conference also hosted a buyer-seller meeting to connect with end consumers. As a citizen-friendly initiative, the conference also saw the demonstration of Kaveri 2.0 web-based system that simplifies land registrations.

GUIDELINES OUT AHEAD OF SSLC EXAMINATIONS

Bengaluru: The Karnataka State Examination and Assessment Board (KSEAB) has released the guidelines for the Secondary School Leaving Certificate (SSLC) preparatory examinations. Earlier, the exams were scheduled from February 23 to March 1, which was revised. According to the revised timetable, the exams will take place between February 27 and March 4. As per the guidelines, the question papers will be issued to the relevant Block Education Officers, who have been instructed to keep the question papers under tight security and take measures in printing and distributing the papers in schools under their jurisdiction at the taluk level.

Prior to the exam, students must pay a fee of Rs 50 in preparation of writing the exams. While the fee had been set at Rs 60 earlier, it was reduced following criticisms from various quarters.



TIMETABLE

February 27	First language
February 28	Second language
March 1	Third language
March 2	Mathematics
March 3	Science
March 4	Social Science

Study shows only 8 out of 31 BWSSB STPs functional

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ONLY eight out of 31 BWSSB Sewage Treatment Plant (STP) in Bengaluru are monitoring data scientifically, while the rest have discrepancies, said lake activist Raghavendra Pachhapur, who is also part of the NGO, Action Aid, which carried out a study. "We have looked at the data available at the BWSSB STP dashboard which monitors six parameters in all 31 STPs across Bengaluru. Sensors capture data, and we ended up recording wrong data and breaches in eight STPs," said Pachhapur.

The activist said he will meet BWSSB chairman, KSPCB chairman and Urban Development Department secretary and hand over the report on Tuesday. He said that at Jakkur STP, Chemical Oxygen Demand (COD) was 200 mg as against the standard 50 mg.

REDUCING RISK

Sericulture gives good income for ryots: UAS V-C

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University of Agricultural Sciences (UAS) vice-chancellor Dr SV Suresh said that the university will always remain as the backbone of farmers.

Speaking at a training programme and exhibition on sericulture, silk by-products and value addition, he said farmers can reduce their risk of losses during droughts by using other alternative methods of farming like sericulture.

"It is possible to accrue profits even in adverse conditions if by-products are properly value added and sold through companies built by farmers. At present, in districts like Kolar, Chikkaballapur and Bengaluru Rural, despite an acute scarcity of water, farmers are following the dry farming system because they have adopted the integrated farming system. They have subsidiary occupations through sericulture and dairy farming where they can generate high income for a long time," he said.

Sericulture, in particular, is highly profitable, he said, because apart from worm farming, silk spinning and cloth weaving, there are other trades that opens up if sericulture is undertaken. To exhibit this point, the university held an exhibition with several by-products of sericulture, including flower tea, mulberry jams and pickles, wines, mulberry leaf bhajis and pakodas, as well as decorative items and jewelry like silk loom vases, flower clusters, earring and garlands.

> **It is possible to make profits even in adverse conditions if the by-products are properly value added and sold through companies built by farmers -** Dr SV Suresh, V-C, University of Agricultural Sciences

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

21st February : If there's one part of the zodiac that stands out today, it's Gemini. Given that this is a sign of intellectual courage, creativity and brilliant ideas, qualities which all of us can try harder to develop. You don't have to be a Gemini. Anyone can do it. You know it makes sense!

ARIES
(Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
Loved ones are certain to have a great deal to say, but really you wouldn't want it any other way - or would you? Any advice you're offered just now may be unreliable, so keep your own counsel. After all, sometimes you do know best, in spite of what others think.

TAURUS
(Apr. 21 - May 21)
You must acknowledge other people's right to go their own way, free from all emotional blackmail or other constraints. Your costs are increasing, so keep an eye on extra expenses. Also, if it's good advice you're after, you may need to look no further than someone you live with!

GEMINI
(May 22 - June 21)
There are domestic projects to be finalised, perhaps decoration or minor repairs. You really must complete all outstanding tasks before the end of the week, or at least attempt to reach a suitable stage. It's all a matter of persuading partners that you're doing your bit.

CANCER
(June 22 - July 23)
Somebody now seems to be indicating that they are happy about a recent arrangement, but you might still have to put future plans on hold. Please do try to be tolerant of other people's little quirks and foibles. You might think you know what's best for them, but have you considered that you just might be wrong?

LEO
(July 24 - Aug. 23)
We must look at the movements of Venus if we want to see the direction of your romantic and emotional life. Right now, this planet indicates that you'll be requiring intense commitment and security over the coming months. Passions are rising and hopes are high - but that doesn't mean they'll be met!

VIRGO
(Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
You have a reputation for being rather staid, even though you have done enough in your life to persuade people otherwise. Indeed, partners may have cause to be shocked by a sudden burst of energy. Still, why shouldn't you spring the odd surprise on them?

LIBRA
(Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
Mystical Mercury is making you aware that nothing can be taken for granted. However, any disappointments will be more than compensated for if you actively seek out pleasurable activities and experiences. In any case, you can only gain if you take new enterprises up a gear.

SCORPIO
(Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
If you are prepared to pay heed to Mercury's rather eccentric aspects, you will plumb the depths of your psyche, discovering secrets that even you were unaware of. It's a time to solve mysteries, asking friends what they think, and consulting the experts.

SAGITTARIUS
(Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
In recent weeks, you may have inadvertently alienated people in authority or colleagues who might have been useful to you. On the other hand, there are those who have been deeply impressed by your vigour. Your energy is high at the moment, but you must take care not to burn yourself up.

CAPRICORN
(Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
Some of you have had to put up with a series of delays, disappoint-ments and frustrations for months, if not years. However, please open your eyes to the fact that such suffering is not inevitable. If you have any sense you will tackle a rival on your own terms.

AQUARIUS
(Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Even though there will be those who resist any attempt to reach a binding agreement, you must bring pressure to bear on people who are dragging their heels over finances or property. The ball is in your court, so proceed with your normal appreciation of infinite possibilities.

PISCES
(Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
The planetary influences for the week incline you towards outward-going social activities while those for today bring out your solitary, hermit-like qualities. This contradiction goes some way towards explaining your confusion. If you feel like spending more time by yourself, then so be it!

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Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle

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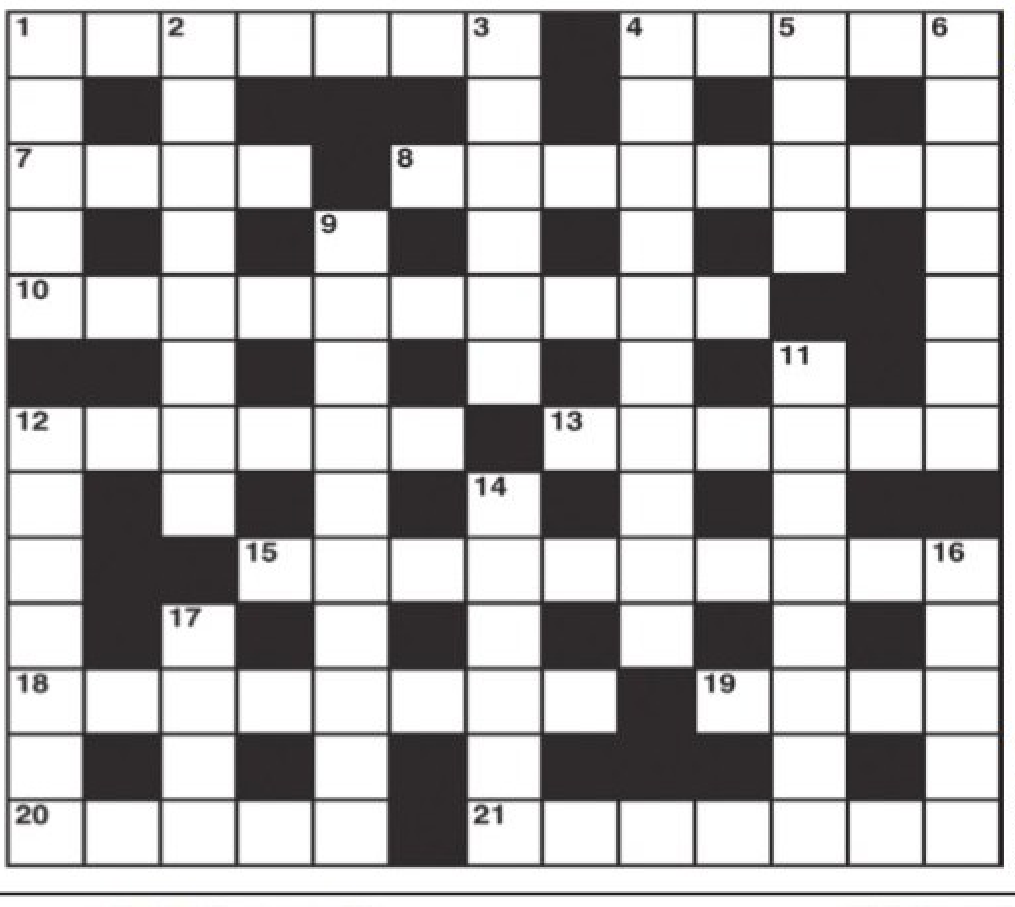

CROSS WORD

ACROSS

1 Some err badly and show regret (7)
4 Disagreement on a question of colour? (5)
7 Hearing of Troy's fall she took no action (4)
8 Returns from work? (8)
10 So I'd tip her for an important post in journalism (10)
12 Gets on the stage (6)
13 Means business (6)
15 Leaving diagram inaccurate? (7,3)
18 The sort of contest that goes on in the ring (4-4)
19 Bill joins me at the summit (4)
20 He gets his money always in physical education (5)
21 Produced admitted superiority (7)

DOWN

1 Saddle and take horse about midnight (5)
2 A grim lad bursts into song (8)
3 Please pass a different way (6)
4 Number of soldiers of note in Europe for example (10)
5 She turns a nut (4)
6 A record of the man's effort outside the ring (7)
9 Spanner used by motorists (4,6)
11 Compelled to use violence in the end (8)
12 Much favourable publicity for high-rise construction (5-2)
14 Not a musical score (6)
16 The way things go? (5)
17 Unique feature of the common lynx (4)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Perforation, 9 Notied, 10 Eagle, 11 Eme, 12 Armagnac, 14 Picnic, 16 Relate, 18 Resigned, 19 Odds, 22 Trial, 23 Release, 24 Storm signal.

Down: 2 Eaten, 3 Face, 4 Riders, 5 Teenager, 6 Organza, 7 Intemperate, 8 Teacher's pet, 13 Singular, 15 Casuist, 17 Debris, 20 Drama, 21 Plug.

JUMBLE

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

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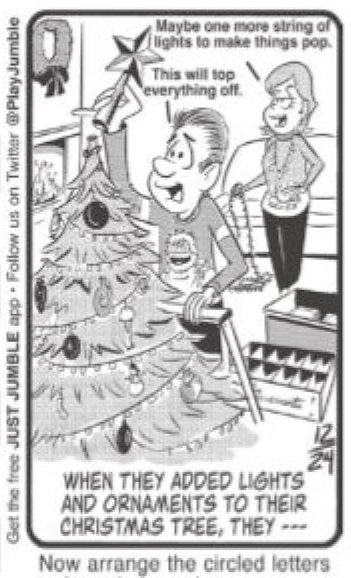

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This will top everything off.
12/24
WHEN THEY ADDED LIGHTS AND ORNAMENTS TO THEIR CHRISTMAS TREE, THEY ---
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(Answers Monday)

Yesterday's Jumbles: EVENT AWFUL BALLAD ADJOIN
Answer: When the young boxer learned how to throw a quick punch, it was a — "JAB" WELL DONE

After embarrassing the ruling dispensation by sharing the dais with the BJP's top leaders, now 'Silent' Sunil's poster wishing Mahashivratri has come up on Mysuru Road, despite a high court order banning posters, flexes and banners in public places

A CROSS-BORDER LOVE STORY GOES AWRY

Girl, arrested in Bengaluru along with her husband, repatriated to Pakistan last month

BALA CHAUHAN @Bengaluru

THE story of a 19-year-old Pakistani girl, who was arrested from Bengaluru along with her Indian husband over illegal stay and her subsequent repatriation to Pakistan last month is a sordid saga of botched cross-border love, and has now resurfaced in sections of international media. The story was reported by TNIE on January 24.

According to informed sources, Iqra Jeewani, daughter of Mohd Sohail Jeewani and a student of Piggott Memorial Girls' Higher Secondary School, Hyderabad, Pakistan, had illegally entered India without a valid visa via Nepal in September last year with her 'husband' Mulayam Singh Yadav (26) alias Sameer Ansari from Allahabad, Uttar Pradesh.

Jeewani and Yadav, who had his online name as Sameer Ansari, had met Iqra on a gaming app and reportedly fallen in love.

Mulayam Singh Yadav and Iqra Jeewani

"Jeewani's parents found out that their daughter was dating an Indian man and started looking for an alliance for her in Pakistan. Since Iqra had a valid Pakistani passport, Yadav alias Sameer Ansari asked her to travel to Kathmandu, where she allegedly obtained a tourist visa on arrival. The duo met there and reportedly got married in Nepal. Iqra claimed that they had an online nikah," said sources.

"The couple then crossed the India-Nepal border and came to Patna by bus. From there, they travelled to Bengaluru in the last week of September 2022, where Yadav worked as a security employee in a well known I-T company. They lived in a house in Bellandur police station limits. To help her with an Indian identity card and passport, Yadav allegedly edited his relative's Aadhar card and superimposed her photograph and name on it," added sources. Meanwhile, Iqra's father, on September 19, filed a missing complaint at the Hyderabad city (Pakistan) police station. "Iqra was in touchwith her mother over the phone. She was arrested on January 23 over illegal stay and later repatriated to Pakistan. Yadav was also arrested under the Foreigners Act and Section 420 of the Indian Penal Code (IPC) for cheating," said sources.

FAKE WORKS

RTI activist goes to Lokayukta over BBMP tender scam

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CLAIMING there was no response from authorities in Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) and Bengaluru Metropolitan Task Force (BMTF) on a complaint regarding a scam in securing BBMP tenders, RTI activist S Bhaskaran registered a complaint with the Lokayukta against the contractor and BBMP officials. He claimed that tenders worth several crores of rupees were secured by submitting fake work done certificates and invoices.

According to Bhaskaran, Class 1 civil contractor Anand Pramodh had allegedly bagged tenders for civil works, for which he had produced fake turnover certificates issued by the same chartered accountant, fake work done certificates, and invoice.

"There are three certificates which show different turnovers for work done in the same year," the activist said.

Civil works under the heading 'Comprehensive Development of selected Arterial-Sub-Arterial roads in Ward 129 Rajarajeshwari Nagar Zone Under Package RRN-2016-17 (02)' amounting to Rs 15.9 crore was submitted, and the irony is that even the executive engineer, Road Infrastructure Division, RR Nagar, BBMP, had issued the work done certificate to the contractor.

Similarly, the official had issued another fake work done certificate to the same contractor for the same work, mentioning value of Rs 7.85 crore. In reality, the work was done by VK Gopal, who is also a Class 1 PWD and BDA contractor.

"Right To Information (RTI) exposed both the contractor and BBMP executive engineer. I have given a written complaint with supporting documents to BBMP Administrator Rakesh Singh, BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath, BBMP Finance Commissioner Jayaram Raipura, chief accounts officer of BBMP SK Raju, BMTF ADGP and SP three weeks ago. The contractor has no bidding capacity and it looks like a benami deal of some high-profile official. I want a probe into the incident. Since there was no action, I have filed the same complaint with Lokayukta SP Crime, Bengaluru city," said Bhaskaran.

He added that a fake invoice submitted by the contractor claims he purchased a machine and other equipment worth Rs 2.21 crore.

"When Lokayukta probes, many skeletons may tumble out from the BBMP cupboard. Lokayukta police have assured it will be an impartial and speedy probe," Bhaskaran added.

Confirming that a complaint was filed in this regard, senior Lokayukta police said they received a complaint and are probing the matter, and cannot reveal any details as of now.

HC dismisses teachers' pleas on enhancing age of superannuation

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THE Karnataka High Court dismissed a batch of petitions questioning the validity of the government order dated October 15, 2009, insofar as enhancement of the age of superannuation of the teaching community of universities, drawing University Grants Commission (UGC) scales from the existing 60 years to 62 years, while continuing the age of superannuation for other teaching communities of the state government and state universities as 60 years.

"Superannuation has nothing to do with qualification, and is a condition of service that would fall within the ambit of Article 309 of the Constitution. Accordingly, the rules/statutory provision under Article 309 would prevail over the UGC regulation that may fall under 'Education' in the concurrent list," Justice S Sunil Dutt Yadav said, while passing the order dismissing a batch of petitions.

The petitioners claim that as regards teachers employed in universities and government colleges, the age of superannuation is enhanced to 62 years, insofar as affiliated colleges, whether aided or unaided, the age of retirement being only 60 years and accordingly, is discriminatory and should be enhanced to 62 years.

The petitioners have contended that the appointment of teaching faculty in both universities and government colleges on one hand, and aided colleges on the other, was by the government, and service conditions, recruitment, pay scales, increment and academic performance indicators are governed by UGC guidelines, which are uniform. Accordingly, it is contended that disparity in age of superannuation was arbitrary, they claimed.

The state government contended that it has accepted only that part of the UGC recommendation with regard to revision of UGC pay scales to the teaching community working in government and private aided colleges, but UGC recommendations on superannuation is not accepted. Though UGC payscales are applicable to the entirety of the teaching community, other service conditions like superannuation/retirement age, probationary period, pensionary benefits and the like are governed by state government rules, the state argued.

UP IN ARMS

Contract employees of the National Health Mission stage a protest demanding that the state government regularise their jobs, at Freedom Park on Monday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

EXPRESS READ

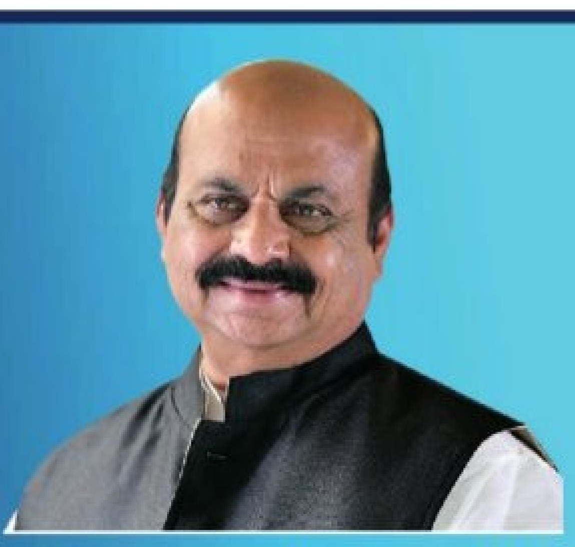
Fundraising event to support cancer patients in need

Bengaluru: To support cancer patients, Yenepoya deemed-to-be university will organise a fundraising event -- Concert for Cancer Free Society -- at Dr Amebedkar Bhavan from 4pm to 8pm on February 26 . A musical concert, magic show, dance and a cultural programme will be held as part of the fundraising event and proceeds will go into the corpus fund that will be utilized to treat needy cancer patients at Zulekha Yenepoya Institute of Oncology. There will be a motivational speech by Dr Sanjeev Nair, former VP Head Talent of Reliance Industry. **ENS**

Sri Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister

LABOUR DEPARTMENT

Karnataka Building And Other Construction Workers Welfare Board



Sri Basavaraj S Bommai
Hon'ble Chief Minister

Facilities provided by the Board under various welfare and social security schemes to registered construction workers from 2020-21 to January 2023

- A total of Rs. 982.52 crore scholarship was disbursed to 7.54 lakh children of registered construction workers.
- At a total cost of 6.26 crores, 737 children of registered construction workers are being trained for competitive examinations conducted by UPSC/KPSC.
- To look after the childrens of labourers while they are at work, 137 Kittoor Rani Chennamma Child Care Centers have been set up across the state.
- At a cost of Rs. 225.46 crores, Work related training and toolkits have been distributed to a total of 4.80 lakh registered construction workers.
- 32 Shramika Sanjeevini mobile health clinics have been started across the state to conduct health check-ups for registered construction workers and their dependents.
- Under Preventive Health Care and Training Scheme medical camps have been set up across the state and a total of 9.25 lakh registered workers have benefitted.
- KSRTC/BMTC Bus Passes have been distributed to 5.20 lakh workers, At a Cost of Rs. 187.64 Crores.
- Transit Accomodations are being constructed at Shivamogga, Bengaluru Rural, Davangere, Belagavi, Kalburgi and Chamarajnagar districts for providing temperory housing facility to migrant construction workers.
- Karmika Adalat 1.0 and 2.0 were conducted and out of 6.36 lakh pending and newly received applications, a total of 4.87 lakh applications were disposed on the spot and a total of Rs. 131.23 crores is disbursed.
- Under pension, family pension and disability pension schemes, financial assistance of Rs 24.05 crores has been disbursed to 6,343 registered beneficiaries.
- Under medical benefits like Karmika Aarogya Bhagya, Karmika Chikitsaa Bhagya, Accident compensation and Funeral expenses, financial assistance of Rs. 146.37 crores have been disbursed to 26,362 registered workers.
- Under maternity facility and Thayi Magu Sahayahastha schemes, 8,096 beneficiaries received financial assistance of Rs. 16.66 Crores.

Sri. Arbail Shivaram Hebbar, Hon'ble Minister of Labour and Chairman of the Board Distributing Admission Letters to children of registered workers who were selected for UPSC/KPSC pre-examination training.

Ineligible beneficiaries/workers (Non-construction workers) obtaining registration and availing benefits by providing false info/fake documents/impersonation is a punishable offence.

Labour Helpline 155214

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Secretary to Government,
Department of Labour

Akram Pasha, IAS
Labour Commissioner and CEO
KBOCWWB

BJP national general secretary and Karnataka-in-charge Arun Singh, who arrived in Mangaluru on Sunday to take part in party national president's events, had to rush to a private hospital in the city after he felt uneasiness on Monday morning

Behaviour of Roopa, Sindhuri an insult to their fraternity: Araga

Govt will initiate action against officers: Ministers

IGP Roopa Moudgil and IAS officer Rohini Sindhuri leave after meeting the Chief Secretary in Bengaluru on Monday| EXPRESS

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bengaluru

AS the fight between IGP Roopa D Moudgil and IAS officer Rohini Sindhuri has put the government in a spot, Home Minister Araga Jnanendra on Monday lambasted the officers for washing their dirty linen in public.

Jnanendra told the media that the public has big respect for IAS and IPS officers. "But the behaviour of these officers is an insult to their fraternity. There is no question of the government tolerating their indiscipline. I have spoken to the CM and also the DGP. Appropriate action will be initiated against them," he warned. Law and Parliamentary Affairs Minister JC Madhu Swamy said the government did not bother initially as it appeared to be a personal fight. "Now, the matter has reached Vidhana Soudha. If it continues, the government will have to take strict action."

Stating that bureaucrats must be models for others, Minister Muniratna said the two women officers are setting a bad precedent. "They are part of the government and what will the public think if they are making allegations against each other? Our government will not tolerate this and action will be initiated against the two."

Former chief minister and BJP MLA Jagadish Shettar said the government has to send a clear message to bureaucrats that the government won't tolerate such indiscipline. "Today, only two officers are indulging in making allegations. If there is no action against them, other officers may repeat it. Then people will think that the government has no control over bureaucrats and that should not happen," he said.

Attempt to tarnish image

Rohini Sindhuri's husband Sudhir Reddy, who filed a complaint on behalf of his wife at the Bagalagunte police station, told reporters that Roopa is making baseless allegations to tarnish his wife's image. He questioned how she got the photos, which were clicked in 2014-15, and suspected that she might be misusing her official power and hacking into phones.

Further, he said Roopa should reveal the names of the officers with whom his wife had shared her pictures, as claimed by Roopa. "She is dragging our family unnecessarily and we will fight this legally," he added.

Roopa lists 7 cases against Rohini

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"OUR services are different but I don't know why she is targeting me by posting about my professional and personal life on social media. Officers have to maintain certain dignity and decorum," Rohini said, challenging Roopa to reveal the names of the officers with whom she had allegedly shared her photos.

Roopa, in her complaint to the CS, listed seven cases against Rohini and sought action against her. Referring to IAS officer Ravishankar's report on the construction of a swimming pool at the deputy commissioner's residence in Mysuru, Roopa said that allegations against Rohini were proved in the preliminary inquiry but no detailed probe was conducted.

Further, she alleged that Rohini had not mentioned details of the house allegedly being constructed in Jalahalli in the immovable property returns. "I may be called as witness wherein I will produce chat conversations. Also, the source of income for such expenditure should be probed," she demanded.

Roopa also referred to a complaint submitted to the Lokayukta and the government rejecting permission to take up an investigation in a letter dated September 19, 2022. She also alleged that Roopa had given Rs 10 crore order only for the architectural design of Karnataka Bhavan being built in Tirupati, without inviting tender, which was a violation. She referred to the notice issued to Rohini by the Administrative Training Institute, Mysuru regarding taking away articles from there to Mysuru residence and then to Bengaluru house.

NEW ENTRANTS

Congress leader Siddaramaiah and AICC general secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala welcome former MLC Sandesh Nagaraj and former MLA KS Kiran Kumar into the party, at the KPCC office in Bengaluru on Monday

Many toilets in Karnataka not in usable condition, admits CM

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Monday admitted that many public toilets in Karnataka are not in a usable condition due to lack of maintenance. Replying to the debate on the motion of thanks to the Governor's address to the legislature, CM Bommai said that he has allocated Rs 250 crore for construction of toilets in all government schools and colleges which will be completed by August 15, 2023.

To this, Speaker Vishveshwara Hegde Kageri said the government is constructing toilets under various schemes but the real issue of maintenance is not being addressed. He said maintenance is possible only if any panchayat or agency is entrusted with the responsibility, failing which, only construction of toilets will not serve any purpose.

Former CM and veteran BJP leader BS Yediyurappa said the major issue in maintaining is the unavailability of water.

"Public toilets can neither be maintained nor can the water scarcity issue be solved. More than 90 per cent of the toilets are locked. Stop constructing new public toilets," he said, urging the CM to look into the issue.

Bommai said that initially the government made an attempt to address the issue through 'Sulabh Souchalay' scheme with good intention but it did not work. "We need to involve the public as a stakeholder in maintaining the toilets. Hence, we have decided to double the maintenance cost in this year's budget. We will pay a certain amount every month for maintenance of every toilet. The responsibility will be given to School Development and Monitoring Committees (SDMCs)," he said.

POCSO, MISSING CHILDREN CASES INCREASE IN THE STATE

Bengaluru: Cases registered under the POCSO (Protection of Children from Sexual Offences) Act and missing children cases registered in the state have seen a considerable increase since 2018. As per information provided to the State Legislative Council by Home Minister Araga Jnanendra on Monday, POCSO cases registered in the state increased from 2,063 in 2018 to 3,097 in 2022. In January 2023, as many as 207 cases were registered. Children missing cases increased from 770 in 2018 to 2,185 in 2022. In January 2023, as many as 249 cases were registered.

It'll be Kuvempu Airport: Cabinet

BANSY KALAPPA @ Bengaluru

THE cabinet meeting on Monday decided to name the Shivamogga airport after legendary poet and writer Kuvempu. The function will be held on February 27. It may be recalled that BS Yediyurappa had proposed Kuvempus' name.

It also okayed a proposal to make BMS institution a university, a minister said. JDS senior leader HD Kumaraswamy had alleged that a minister in the Bommai cabinet had held a meeting with BMS institution representatives. He had alleged a quid pro quo to name the institution a university in lieu of making Dayanand Pai a lifetime member of the institution trust.

The cabinet cleared a bill allowing women in software and industrial estates to work up to 48 hours a week. This allows them to work four days from the office at 12 hours a day and the remaining days from home.

The cabinet decided to waive off amounts to be paid for development of land and house, and also levies and charges on the land.

Cong legislators to write to PM on Rahul's questions

BANSY KALAPPA @Bengaluru

CONGRESS is not letting go of the issues raised by senior leader Rahul Gandhi on the floor of Parliament but were expunged.

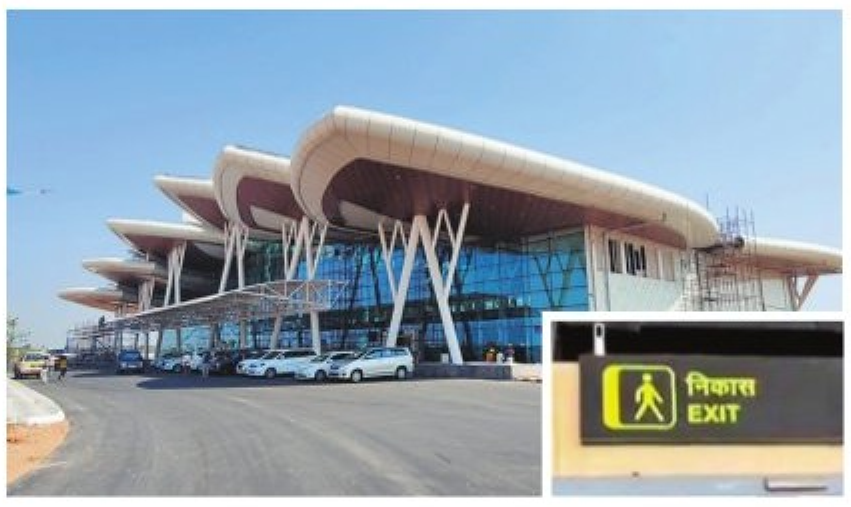
A party general secretary, requesting anonymity, told TNIE, "I will write to the party leadership, telling them that every party MP, MLA and MLC across the country should write to Prime Minister Modi and seek answers to very questions that Rahul Gandhi raised."

MLA HK Patil, who is Congress general secretary in charge of Maharashtra, said, "We will start asking the question to the Prime Minister directly. We will not allow the Prime Minister to take away our right to question. The attitude of BJP, seeking to snub the person asking questions, is undemocratic and will not be accepted."

Congress Legislature Party leader Siddaramaiah said, "I will raise it in the party forum and we will decide on that."

State party president DK Shivakumar said, "I will speak to my party legislators and get their feedback on this.' The elected members of Congress are seeking to ask the following questions to Prime Minister Modi: How many times did Modi travel together with Adani on foreign trips? How many times did Adani join you later on a visit? How many times has Adani travelled to a foreign country just after you did? How many of these countries you visited have given contracts to Adani? How much money has Adani given BJP in the last 20 years through electoral bonds?

Rahul also asked as to why the rules were changed to hand over six airports to Adani. The Congress leader alleged that probe agencies were used to further Adani's businesses with the Sri Lanka government and to give wind power projects to Adani.



The Shivamogga Airport and the boards in English and Hindi

At airport in Kuvempu land, Kannada missing

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Shivamogga

THE lack of Kannada display boards at the yet-to-be-inaugurated Shivamogga Airport has attracted the ire of Kannadigas. Even though the airport is being maintained by the state government and will be named after the national Kannada poet Kuvempu, the authorities have failed to put up the display boards in Kannada.

The greenfield Shivamogga airport is all set for inauguration on February 27 by Prime Minister Narendra Modi. Meanwhile, many people have objected to the absence of Kannada display boards on the airport premises. The display boards put up have instructions and information only in Hindi and English.

Kannada activist Rupesh Rajanna condemned the 'Hindi imposition'. "If they are allowed further, they will ensure that Kannada has no existence. It is Hindi everywhere. At the airport in Shivamogga, where pure Kannadigas reside, the boards are all in Hindi and English. Stop this imposition on Kannadigas," he tweeted in Kannada.

While one tweeter user said, "The government should stop the imposition of Hindi", another questioned why the boards are not in Kannada when the airport is being named after Kuvempu.

Many users commented on a video of the airport posted by MP B Y Raghavendra after noticing the absence of Kannada display boards. They urged the MP to ensure that the boards are put up in Kannada.

Deputy Commissioner Dr R Selvamani said the issue has been brought to his notice and assured that he will resolve it soon. "I will ask the officials concerned to ensure the display boards are in Kannada," the DC added.

PEOPLE SHOULD BE CAUTIOUS ABOUT CYBER CRIMES

Bengaluru: Home Minister Araga Jnanendra on Monday informed the State Legislative council that the home department is taking several measures to prevent cyber crimes and that those using online banking need to be extra vigilant. He was responding to BJP MLC MLC Bharati Shetty's suggestion that linking of Aadhaar number with a mobile SIM must be made mandatory as people involved in cyber crimes procure many SIM cards under different names. Jnanendra said one person can procure a maximum of nine SIM cards and also need to link with their Aadhaar. The minister making Aadhaar mandatory comes under the purview of the Centre and they have taken it up with them. He said they have taken several measures including opening 45 cyber police stations across the state. People need to be cautious, especially those using online banking need to be extra vigilant, he said. Terming cyber crimes as robberies committed by knowledgeable people, the minister said the police are making all efforts to prevent cyber crimes. The minister said they have a special cyber unit in the CID.

Bommai wants aircraft manufacturing units

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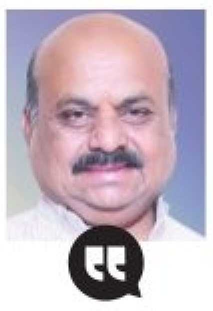

Despite the pandemic, investments to Karnataka have increased. This is because ease of doing business is easy in Karnataka. It is an industrial-friendly state

Basavaraj Bommai, Chief Minister

CHIEF Minister Basavaraj Bommai on Monday said that the State Government wants to have complete commercial civil aircraft manufacturing units in Karnataka. He said presently, 65% of the components used in defence and aerospace in India are made in Karnataka.

"It is my desire to have a complete commercial aircraft making unit in Karnataka which has to fly across the globe. We are in talks with private aircraft manufacturers," he said.

In his reply to the debate on the motion of thanks to the Governor's address to the legislature on Monday, Bommai said: "Despite the pandemic, investments to Karnataka have increased. This is because ease of doing business is easy in Karnataka. It is an industrial-friendly state. Karnataka stands number one when it comes to Foreign Direct Investment. We also provide incentives to companies that generate jobs."

The chief Minister further said that the State Government signed an MoU worth Rs 3,500 crore in the aerospace sector. When we can manufacture parts, we can make an aircraft too. We are in talks with Airbus and Boeing...," he elaborated.

On development of Marina on the coast, Bommai said that the State Government has relaxed Coastal Regulation Zone (CRZ) rules.

"This is expected to promote coastal tourism. We want to complete this this year itself and the Detailed Project Report will be ready," he added.

NO PU COLLEGE, BUT DEGREE COLLEGE GETS SANCTION

Bengaluru: Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said there are degree colleges in many places, but no pre-university colleges, because sanction for degree colleges is often given under pressure, which the government is now rectifying. When Bommai was speaking about infrastructure in colleges and schools, Afzalpur MLA from Congress MY Patil said his constituency doesn't have a PU college, but has a degree college. "How can we expect students to enrol for higher education?" asked Patil. In response, the CM said this is the case in some places, where degree colleges were started without PU colleges, giving in to political pressure.

Shah wants Mandya, but no one willing to be in-charge minister

BANSY KALAPPA @Bengaluru

MANDYA was seen by BJP's master poll strategist and Union Home Minister Amit Shah as the gateway to south Karnataka, but none of the ministers want to take the responsibility of being in-charge of the district.

After Revenue Minister R Ashoka, Higher Education Minister Dr CN Ashwath Narayan and Food and Civil Supplies Minister K Gopalaiah made it clear that they don't want the burden of looking after the district with just weeks left for the polls, it was now the turn of Sports Minister Narayana Gowda too to say no.

Gowda, who hails from Mandya and was one of the 17 legislators to switch sides to bring BJP to power, said, "I am already in charge of Shivamogga. Can they reshuffle the district in-charge ministers every few months? Ashoka, Ashwath Narayan and Gopalaiah represent constituencies, which are strongholds. If Gopalaiah or anyone else is given Mandya, I will work with them."

Asked as to why there is such reluctance, BJP sources said Gowda was earlier district in-charge minister of Mandya and he might not be willing to take on the responsibility as the polls are nearing.

Before Ashoka was moved out of Mandya, there were protests asking the government to remove him as in-charge minister of the district. But BJP sources said such protests should not be taken seriously.

The other reason why Gowda may be unwilling is that Mandya continues to be the stronghold of JDS. Till he won the KR Pet seat for BJP, all the constituencies in the district were with JDS. Also, it could be difficult for Gowda to even retain his seat in KR Pet in the coming elections, the sources said.

Shah's statements in Manday, demeaning JDS has not helped BJP. Instead, it has made the regional party more aggressive in the region, they said. Though BJP backed Sumalatha during the parliamentary polls and she won, she has not joined the saffron party officially yet, making it difficult for BJP to encash on her influence.

BJP Mandya district president S Umesh said, "We are working on the ground and we have a formidable presence in Nagamangala, KR Pet, Mandya City and Maddur."

Kerala hosted a meeting with neighbouring states to discuss strategies for preventing communicable diseases in bordering areas. The representatives of health departments in Tamil Nadu, Karnataka and Mahi (Puducherry) attended the meeting

FIR against 8 for attacking Dalits in Koppal district

AMIT S UPADHYE @Hubballi

THE Koppal police have filed an FIR against eight persons for allegedly beating up members of a Dalit family in Hitnal village of Koppal district. The accused have gone absconding after the attack and the police have launched a manhunt to nab them.

The police said the accused and victims had an argument last week during the annual village fair at Hitnal. While the villagers claimed that Dalit youth were troubling others at the fair, the victims, in their complaint, said that they were thrashed after they entered a temple.

It is said that the group of Dalit youth who were beaten up had entered the temple the previous evening and this did not go down well with some villagers. The next morning, upper caste members from the village entered houses of Dalits and started beating them up. When more people gathered at the Dalit colony, the upper caste members left after warning them.

"The injured victims were treated in nearby hospitals. We approached the police the same day. For the first two days, many villagers and political leaders tried to stop us from not filing a case. We filed a complaint as it was not the first time that we were ill-treated in the village," an injured victim said.

The police have filed cases against Fakiravva Gunnal, Shridhar Madiwal, Ganesh Benkal, Gurukiran Iliger, Kashinath Uppaper, Durgesh Gollar, Shivakumar Bhajantri and Appaji Valmiki, all residents of Hitnal.

"It is a minor scuffle that has led to many events over last one week in the village. We tried to mediate... but it did not work. As the victims were beaten up in their own houses, they are angry and do not want to withdraw the complaint. The village heads and authorities must conduct meetings regularly to ensure such atrocities do not happen," said a villager.

Munirabad police have registered the case and are investigating.

...WHILE THE SUN SHINES

A woman works at a brick kiln in Odisha on Monday. Several parts of India are experiencing rise in temperature indicating the arrival of summer | PRASANT MADUGULA

Mandya villagers block expressway, police resort to lathicharge

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Mysuru

HUNDREDS of vehicles were stranded for more than a hour on the busy Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway near Hanakere in Mandya district after villagers staged a protest demanding an underpass near the village by blocking the highway on Monday. The police had to resort to mild lathicharge to disperse the crowd and allow the traffic movement.

The incident happened at Hanakere village in Mandya taluk when hundreds of villagers led by farmer leaders Madhuchandan and Prasanna N Gowda held a protest demanding underpasses at Hanakere and Mallaiyana Doddi village to travel across the Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway. The villagers gathered near the expressway around 7 am and blocked the highway with bullock carts and tractors. They accused the National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) authorities of constructing an unscientific under bridge on Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway which had forced them to take a detour to reach Hanakere.

Meanwhile, Mandya SP N Yatish rushed to the spot and appealed to the protesters to withdraw the protest and allow the traffic movement.

But farmer leader Madhuchandan demanded a written assurance from the NHAI authorities. When an NHAI official showed the copy of an order to construct an underpass at Hanakere, Madhuchandan tore the copy, stating that it is an old order. SP Yatish appealed to the farmers to withdraw the protest, assuring them that he will speak with NHAI authorities and resolve the problem. But the protesters did not budge, the police resorted to mild lathicharge and detained Madhuchandan and Prassana Gowda. Later, the protesters withdrew their agitation after NHAI officials assured them that the underpass work will be taken up in two months.

Police detain protesters on the Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway in Mandya district on Monday | S UDAYSHANKAR

STONES THROWN AT OWAISI'S DELHI RESIDENCE

AIMIM chief Asaduddin Owaisi in front of his Delhi residence which was attacked by miscreants on Sunday | EXPRESS

UJWAL JALALI @ New Delhi

UNIDENTIFIED miscreants allegedly attacked the official residence of All India Majlis-e-Ittehadul Muslimeen (AIMIM) chief Asaduddin Owaisi in Delhi at around 5.30pm on February 19. The MP was not home at the time of the alleged act of vandalism. In the attack, some windows of the house, located in the high security zone of Delhi, were shattered after the miscreants pelted stones at them. Informing about the incident through social media, the Lok Sabha member from Hyderabad said it was the fourth such incident since 2014. "My Delhi residence has been attacked again. This is the fourth incident since 2014. Earlier tonight, I returned from Jaipur & was informed by my domestic help that a bunch of miscreants pelted stones that resulted in broken windows. Delhi Police must catch them immediately," Owaisi added. DCP (New Delhi) Pranav Tayal said that they have received a complaint from Owaisi.

Owaisi, who was on a two-day visit to Rajasthan, termed the incident as 'concerning' as it happened in the high-security zone of New Delhi.

Man driving on Chennai road killed after snapped power lines fall on him

GAUTHAM SELVARAJAN @Chennai

IN a horrific incident, a 42-year-old man returning home on a two-wheeler after dropping off his children at a school was killed on the spot after two high-tension overhead cables snapped and fell on him in Perumbakkam on Monday. One of the cables also killed a street dog. Tangedco has ordered a departmental probe into the issue, sources said.

Police said the victim, Mohammed Ismail, father of three children, ran a small pushcart eatery at Perumbakkam. He was the sole breadwinner of his family.

Mohammed Ismail

A police officer said, "Around 10am on Monday, Ismail had gone to drop off his two children at a nursery school at Perumbakkam on his scooter. When he was returning home on Nethaji Nagar Main Road, two high-tension power lines accidentally snapped and fell on him. Ismail died on the spot due to electrocution."

When his family heard about the accident, they rushed to the spot. They staged a protest alleging negligence and demanded compensation from the government. Other people too joined the protest. His relatives said Ismail was the only earning member of the family and the death had deprived his wife and three children of any financial support.

After the family refused to hand over Ismail's body to police, Perumbakkam RDO came to the spot and took the family's demand in writing and assured the family members of necessary compensation. The family later agreed to hand over the body and it was sent to Chromepet Government Hospital for postmortem. After the postmortem, the body was handed over to the family. The Perumbakkam police have registered a case under Section 174 (unnatural death) of the CrPC and an investigation is on.

Tangedco sources told *TNIE* that they did not receive any complaint about the overhead power lines before the accident.

ELSEWHERE IN SOUTH

Attack on Tamil Nadu fishers: Stalin wants Centre to act

CHENNAI: Tamil Nadu CM MK Stalin has written to Union Minister for External Affairs, Dr S Jaishankar, on the recent attack on Tamil fishermen by Sri Lankan nationals. In the letter, Stalin said on February 15, six fishermen from Nagappattinam district, who ventured into the sea were assaulted by Sri Lankan nationals, resulting in one fisherman sustaining injuries to his head and left hand, and others sustaining internal injuries. He urged the Centre to take up the matter with the Lankan government. **ENS**

Man's acid attack leaves wife, two minors hurt in Odisha

BALASORE: A 35-year-old man allegedly poured acid on his wife after a marital discord, leaving her and three others injured in a village near Balasore on Monday. The woman's elder sister and her two minor children were present on the spot. The accused Chandan Rana is on the run. The victims Banita Singh, her elder sister Barsha, her eight-month-old son and five-year-old daughter were injured. Banita's father Kartik lodged a complaint against Chandan. Chandan had married Banita a month and half ago. **ENS**

ELEPHANT KILLS TWO IN DAKSHINA KANNADA

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Mangaluru

TWO persons were killed by a wild elephant at Naila near Renjiladi village in Kadaba taluk of Dakshina Kannada on Monday. Ranjitha (21), who works at Peradka Milk Society, was on her way to work through a forest road when she was attacked by the elephant. Hearing her screams, Ramesh Rai (55), who lived nearby, rushed to her rescue, but was also attacked and killed on the spot by the jumbo. Ranjitha succumbed to her injuries at a hospital in Nelyadi. The incident took place within 500 metres of the residences of both the victims.

As the news spread, scores of angry villagers gathered at the spot and demanded the Deputy Commissioner Ravikumar MR and Deputy Conservator of Forest (DCF) Y K Dinesh Kumar visit the spot, failing which, they threatened to not allow the removal of the dead bodies.

The villagers expressed serious displeasure against the forest department and alleged that their negligence claimed the lives of two innocents. Sensing trouble, security in the region was beefed up. Later, the DC and DCF visited the spot and took stock of the incident. They also visited the family of Ranjitha and consoled the family members. Speaking to reporters, the DC said the kin of the two victims will be provided with a compensation of Rs 15 lakh each.

Disappointed with budget, transport workers plan strike from March 1

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@ Bengaluru

KARNATAKA Road Transport Employees' League has called for an indefinite strike from March 1 as they are disappointed with the state budget. The employees were eagerly waiting for a wage hike proposal in the budget presented on February 17.

More than 3,000 employees and their family members are expected to take part in the indefinite protest at Bengaluru's Freedom Park. The employees, led by Karnataka Road Transport Employees' League, say that the government has to announce the wage hike at the earliest, before the Model Code of Conduct comes into force for the Assembly polls or else they will intensify their protest.

"We have done all that we could to get the attention of the State Government towards the sufferings of the four transport corporations-KSRTC, BMTC, NWKRTC and KKRTC. We did a cycle rally and our workers sat on a hunger strike at Belagavi in December when the Legislature Session was on. All we got was empty promises that the transport employees will be considered under the 7th Pay Commission," said Chandrashekar, President of Karnataka Road Transport Employees' League.

"The budget did not fulfil our promise. This has angered the employees. We are expecting nearly 3,000 transport workers along with their families to take part in the indefinite strike urging the state to fulfil the promises it made that include wage revision, reinstatement of dismissed employees," Chandrashekar added.

He, however, said their protest will not affect regular bus service. "If more and more employees join us, the protest will reach a different level then there are chances for the services to be affected," he added.

IN KERALA...

Dose of style: Med fraternity dons khadi

KS SREEJITH @ T'Puram

KERALA khadi has got new promoters. Mostly associated with politicians, the fabric having zero carbon footprint has now gained acceptance among health workers, with doctors, nurses, medical and paramedical students and others switching to overcoats manufactured by the Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board.

The board had received a shot in the arm after the director of medical education issued a circular to principals of all government medical, dental and nursing colleges urging them to buy the overcoats.

As of now, the Kannur, Thiruvananthapuram and Alappuzha medical colleges, besides several district and taluk hospitals have implemented the move. However, the real boost for the board came when newly-admitted students of various medical, dental and paramedical colleges responded to the circular positively and incorporated the overcoats in their official attire.

"Khadi is the ideal fabric for Kerala's changing weather," vice-chairman of Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board P Jayarajan told *The New Indian Express.*

He said the board has taken several steps to modernise the board and improve the quality of its products.

"We have also diversified our production and sales, and introduced more cottage industry products. We have also entered into an understanding with various departments," he said. The state government also did its part to promote khadi sales by relaxing the store purchase manual, which enabled government institutions and public sector institutions to buy products from the board.

Meanwhile, the board, under the 'My Gramam' project, has decided to sell products manufactured by village industries through its outlets to help them compete with corporate products. Coconut oil, cosmetic products, detergents, arrowroot powder, traditional body massage oils and food products made by the industries will be sold through khadi board outlets. The board has also signed a memorandum of understanding with the Kerala prisons and correctional services department to train jail inmates in readymade garment production, apiculture, weaving and spinning, and other village industries.

These products will also be sold via khadi board outlets.

A laundry service has also been launched for politicians, arguably the biggest consumers of the fabric. To attract new generations, the khadi board sought the help of Kerala Institute of Fashion Design, following which students who graduated from the institute were appointed as interns in 30 of 45 showrooms of the board to help with works like designing.

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> P Jayarajan, vice-chairman of Kerala Khadi and Village Industries Board

HC permits use of Hopcoms building inside Cubbon Park

ENS @Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court permitted the use of a Hopcoms building, constructed by Karnataka Pradesh Krishik Samaj, in the city.

A division bench headed by Chief Justice Prasanna B Varale passed the order to use the building, subject to the result of the petition, after the survey report submitted by the state government revealed the building is outside Cubbon Park area.

Earlier, the court directed the state government to conduct a survey through the assistant director of Land Records, to ascertain whether the building, commonly known as Hopcoms building, is within or outside the area of Cubbon Park. The court was hearing the application filed by Karnataka Pradesh Krishik Samaj for impleadment to the PIL filed by Cubbon Park Walkers' Association.

The report was submitted after conducting the survey.

Notice over Malathahalli lake

A division bench headed by Justice B Veerappa issued notice to respondents, including RR Nagar MLA N Munirathna, who is also Minister for Horticulture, Planning Programme Monitoring and Statistics, BBMP and others. The bench was hearing an application filed by social activist Geetha Misra. The petitioner alleged that M Govindaraju, BJP president of RR Nagar Assembly constituency, had sought BBMP's permission to put up a 35-ft idol of Lord Shiva on February 18, 2023, on the occasion of Shivaratri, and to conduct recreational and entertainment activities on Malathahalli lake bed, with the help of Munirathna. Govindaraju, in connivance with BBMP and Lake Development Authority, has illegally constructed a circular concrete structure in the form of an open-air theatre on the lake-bed, the petitioner alleged.

Tackled floods, Covid pandemic successfully: CM

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"IN the last five years, BJP has been in power for four years. When BS Yediyurappa took oath as chief minister in 2019, there were heavy floods and when we were tackling it, we had to face Covid for one-and-a-half years. In spite of all the challenges, we were successful in excelling and that is why we have a surplus budget. We could not achieve all the promises made in our manifesto as we had many challenges. When Siddaramaiah was CM, he had five years. But only 67 out of 173 assurances made in the Congress manifesto were achieved. Congress and Siddaramaiah did not give any Bhagyas, but only dourbhagyas (misery)," he added.

"Farmer suicides were highest during the previous Congress government and the solution for that was to fire at farmers. Now they come and preach us, and take pro-farmer stands," he added.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is brought to the notice of the general public that my clients **Mr. Fayaz Ahmed** S/o Late Mr. Abdul Wahab & Mrs. Mubeen Taj W/o Mr. Fayaz Ahmed Both are R/at No. 995, 1st Floor, 7th Cross, 16th Main, BTM 2nd Stage Bangalore-76 intends to purchase the Schedule Property from **SRI SANTHOSH M.R.,** S/o Sri Rajasekaran M.S. R/at No. 72, "Srinivasa Nilayam" 7th Cross, Siva Kumar Nagar, Thally, Road, Hosur, Krishnagiri District, Tamil Nadu, who represents that he is the sole and absolute owner in peaceful possession and enjoyment of the Schedule Property and that the Schedule Property is free from all kinds of encumbrances whatsoever and that there are no third party claims or rights on the Schedule Property.

Any person/s having any claim/s over the Schedule Property or having any objection/s about the above mentioned transaction may write to the undersigned **within 15** (Fifteen) days from the date of publication of this notice along with documentary evidence, on which they are basing their claim, failing which my client will proceed on the basis that there are no claim/s, objection/s of whatsoever nature.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of immovable residential property bearing **No. 116**, situated at 19th Main, 17th Cross, B.T.M. (E.W.S) 2nd Stage, Rashtrakavi Kuvempu Nagar, Bangalore-76, BBMP Ward No. 176, measuring East to West: **9.00 mts** and North to South: **6.00 mts** and totally measuring **54.00 Sq. mts**, along with building together with all appurtenances whether situated on below or above the surface, and bounded on the: **East by:** Road, **West by:** Property No. 109, **North by:** Property No. 117, **South by:** Property No. 115.

D.B. SRINIVAS REDDY, Advocate
No. 64/1, S.M. Plaza, 2nd Floor, Dr. D.V.G. Road,
Basavanagudi, Bangalore-04. Mob: 9880119063
Dated: 20/02/2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that, K.Selvakumar, son of Krishnan, residing at No.41, Nandy Droog, Dispansery Quarters, Oorgaum post, KGF has lost the Original Sale Deed dated 03.11.2004, executed by G.Balaram in favour of K.Sigamani, registered as document No.BPT-1-02469/2004-05 in Book I and stored in CD No.BPTD9, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Bangarapet in respect of the property bearing Site No.41, situated of Dodduru Karapanahalli Plantation, Robetsonpet Hobli, Bandarpet Taluk, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet, in all measuring 1200 sq.ft. A police complaint dated 09.02.2023 is lodged in this regard. If any person finds the same may kindly be delivered to the undersigned or to my client. Any person un-authorisly holding the same and dealing with the same in the respect of the above property in any manner, the same will not be binding on my clients. In this behalf if any person having any Objections or claims can lodge the same with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within Fifteen days of this Notice. Later on the same will not be entertained and my client proceed to deal with said property as their like.

Place : Bangalore

H.D.BASAPPA, Advocate
"G.R.COMPLEX", # 31, 1st Floor, Service Road, Domlur Layout, Bangalore-560 071
Mobile : 9986349626
E-Mail :basappahd2018@gmail.com
Dated : 20.02.2023

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ

ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್‌ರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಸಣ್ಣ ನೀರಾವರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರ್ಜಲ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ವಿಭಾಗ, ಮಂಗಳೂರು

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ – ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖ: ಈ ಕಛೇರಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಸಂ: ಕಾಸಮಂ/ತಾ.ಶಾ./ಸ.ಇ/ಟೆಂಡರ್–37/2023/584 ದಿ: 01.02.2023

ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಿತ ಪತ್ರದನ್ವಯ ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾದಂತೆ ಉಡುಪಿ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆಯ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯಪಾಲರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಅಧಿನಿಯಮದನ್ವಯ ಸ್ಟಾಂಡರ್ಡ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ಕೆಡಬ್ಲ್ಯು – 4ನಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಕಲಂನನ್ವಯ ಷರತ್ತು ಹಾಗೂ ನಿಬಂಧನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟಂತೆ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ಟರ್ನ್ ಕೀ ಆಧಾರದ ಮೇಲೆ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳಲು (ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ ಸ್ಥಳವನ್ನು ಸರ್ವೆ ಮಾಡುವುದು, ಸೇತುವೆ ಸಹಿತ ಕಿಂಡಿ ಅಣೆಕಟ್ಟು/ ಉಪ್ಪು ನೀರು ತಡೆ ಕಿಂಡಿ ಅಣೆಕಟ್ಟು ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ, ಗೇಟ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಅಳವಡಿಸುವುದು, ರಸ್ತೆ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ ಮಾಡುವುದು, ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿ, ಕಂಟ್ರೋಲ್ ರೂಮ್, ಸೆಕ್ಯೂರಿಟಿ ಕೊಠಡಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಸಿಬ್ಬಂದಿ ವಸತಿಗೃಹಗಳನ್ನು ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ, ಸಣ್ಣ ನೀರಾವರಿ ಉಪವಿಭಾಗ ಕಛೇರಿ ಕಟ್ಟಡ ನಿರ್ಮಾಣ ಮಾಡುವುದು ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರೆ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಸೇರಿದಂತೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಇಲಾಖೆಗಳಿಂದ ಶಾಸನಬದ್ಧ ನಿರಾಪೇಕ್ಷಣಾ (ಎನ್.ಒ.ಸಿ.) ಪತ್ರಗಳನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯುವುದು ಇತ್ಯಾದಿ) ಇ-ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ವಿವರಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ ಅಂತರ್ಜಾಲದ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಅರ್ಹ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರಿಂದ ದಿ: **28.02.2023**ರ ಸಂಜೆ **4.00** ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು. ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ದಾರರು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರಕಾರದ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಅಂತರ್ಜಾಲದ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. **(Download)** ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರವನ್ನು ಕಛೇರಿ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು. **(ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂ: 0824–2440720)**

ಸಹಿ/– ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಇಂಜಿನಿಯರ್(ಪ್ರ),
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DIPR/ADM/KSMCA/1359/22-23 ದಿ.20.02.2023

SBI, Regional Business Office-4,
State Bank of India,
AO 1 BES, Region 4, 5th Floor
K G Road, Bangalore - 560009
M: 8296096879

PLEDGED GOLD ORNAMENTS FOR AUCTION

The following A/C Holder has pledged their Gold Ornaments and has raised the loan against it from **State Bank of India,** below mentioned branches. Notices have been sent, but loan was not paid. Therefore the Auction of the gold ornaments will be conducted as per the present market value at our **SBI,**

Sl No	BRANCH NAME (CODE)	ACCOUNT NO	AMOUNT
01	Bommasandra (40879)	40390970687	Rs. 64,000.00

Chief Manager

Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha

113, R. V. Road, V. V. Puram, Bangalore- 560 004
Phone: 080-25722152/153,26601152/53,Mob:9482422153,
E-mail: sssbn2bmh@sreenidhibank.com

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE NOTICE

Sri.Narendra babu.N & Smt.Brunda.S.R (Borrowers)

Sale of Immovable Property Mortgaged to Bank Under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

(No 54 of 2002) -- SARFAESI ACT

Whereas Sri.Narendrababu.N S/o Late Nagesh Reddy.H.N and Smt.Brunda.S.R W/o Sri.Narendrababu.N both are Residing at No.93, 10th Main, Near APR Kalyana Mantapa, Hongasandra, Bommanahalli, Bangalore-560068 have borrowed monies from Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Bommanahalli Branch, #279, 1st Floor, 16th Cross, 5th Main, 7th Sector, HSR Layout, Bangalore – 560102 and as on 20/02/2023 they owes a sum of Rs.1,00,88,442.01 (Rupees One Crore Eighty Eight Thousand Four Hundred Forty Two and Paisa Zero One) only with further interest @ 13.50% per annum and costs there on and Rs.19,91,041/- (Rupees Nineteen Lakhs Ninety One Thousand and Forty One) only with further interest @ 12.50% per annum and costs there on respectively.

Whereas the Authorised Officer of the Bank has issued notice under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and thereafter has taken possession of the property owned and mortgaged by Sri.Narendrababu.N S/o Late. Nagesh Reddy.H.N mortgaged to the bank and decided to sell the property, described in Schedule "A" herein below, on 'AS IS WHERE IS BASIS' under rules 8 & 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

DETAILS OF SALE:

Place of Auction: Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, #113, R.V.Road, V.V. Puram, Bangalore-560004.

Date/Day & time of auction: 24/03/2023 (Friday) At 11:00 AM.

DESCRIPTION OF THE SCHEDULE PROPERTY:

Schedule-A : All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing Sy.No.93, Khatha Sl.No.560, Situated at Hongasandra Village,10th Main, Near APR kalyanamantapa, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring East to West 90 feet and North to South (30 + 25.4)/2 feet totally measuring 2493 Sq.ft.,consisting of Ground floor, First Floor and second floor, and bounded on East by: Property allotted to kondandarama Reddy and brother's property , West by:Begur Road, North by Jayachandra Reddy's Property and South by: 30 feet Road.

Reserve Price: Rs.1,47,72,860/- (Rupees One Crore Forty Seven Lakhs Seventy Two Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty) only

Terms & Conditions of Auction:

1) The above schedule property is proposed for public auction on AS IS WHERE IS BASIS.
2) For participating in the auction, the intending bidders have to deposit 10% of reserve price of the property by Bankers cheque/Demand Draft favouring the Authorised Officer, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Payable at Bangalore which is refundable, if the bid is not successful.
3) The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the bid amount immediately on the sale being knocked down in his favour and the balance within 15 days. Payment to be made only in the form of cash or bankers cheque/ DD drawn in favour of the Authorised Officer, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha.
4) Incase the successful bidder fails to deposit 25% of bid amount immediately on the sale being knocked down in his favour and the balance amount within 15 days, the entire deposit made by the bidder shall be forfeited by the Authorised Officer without any notice.
5) The successful bidder would bear the charges/fees payable for conveyance such as Stamp duty, Registration fee etc., as applicable as per law.
6) The Authorised officer will not be held responsible for any charge, lien, encumbrance, property tax or any other dues to the Govt. or anybody in respect of the property under sale.
7) The Authorised Officer has the absolute right to accept or reject the bid or adjourn/ postpone the auction without assigning any reason therefore.
8) The sale is subject to confirmation by the Bank.
9) The auction of the property will be made as per the above order or at the discretion of the Authorised Officer.
10) For inspection of property, the intending bidders may contact, Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha, Bommanahalli Branch, No.279, 1st Floor, 16th Cross, 5th Main, 6th Sector, HSR Layout, Bangalore – 560 102 during the office hours or may contact at telephone No.080 25722152/153/9482422153/9535204247.

Date : 20/02/2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Sreenidhi Souharda Sahakari Bank Niyamitha

Rural Drinking Water and Sanitation Department

Office of The Executive Engineer, Rural Drinking Water & Sanitation Department, Chickballapur Division, Chickballapur. Ph: 08156-270058
E-mail ID: **eerdwsd.ckb2@gmail.com**

No:EE/RDW&SD/CBP/ AE-2/2022-23 Date: 15.02.2023

Tender Notification No.: 49/2022-23
Date: 15.02.2023

Executive Engineer, Rural Drinking Water & Sanitation Division, Chickballapur, On behalf of Governor of Karnataka Invites request for proposal of tenders from the eligible bidders for the work of Providing FHTC"s to Somenahalli Habitation and Beechaganahalli Habitation, in Gudibande Taluk, Chickballapur District. Two Cover tender procedure as per rule 28 of the KTPP act shall be followed. The tenderers are required to submit **(Under KW-IV)** tenders through e-procurement mode through portal **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in.**

(1) Last Date & Time for Receipt of Bids: **24.02.2023 Time: 4.30 PM. (2)** Date & Time of Technical Bid Opening: **27.02.2023 Time: 11.00 AM.** (3) Date & Time of Financial Bid Opening: **01.03.2023 Time: 11.00 AM.**

More details can be had from the office of the undersigned and also through **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** by clicking List of Tender which will link to all Dept. works list.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
RDW&S Division, Chickballapur,

ವಾಸಾಸಂಇ/ಚಿಕ್ಕಬಳ್ಳಾಪುರ/ಆರ್.ಓ.ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ519/ಎಂ.ಸಿ.ಎ/2022–23

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KARNATAKA NEERAVARI NIGAM LIMITED

(A Government of Karnataka Enterprise)
Office of the Executive Engineer, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur – 591302

"SHORT TERM PERCENTAGE TENDER NOTIFICATION"
(Through e-Procurement only)

The tender invited under this office Notification No: This Office Tender Notification No: KNNL/KPD/ PB/TND/ BGM/RWS/2022-22/1524,1525 and 1526 Date: 15.02.2023

1.Percentage rate tender is invited from eligible Class-I PWD/KNNL Category III & above contractors registered in KPWD through e-procurement portal according to standard tender document rules in prescribed form on behalf of Managing Director, Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited, Bangalore. Details and Tender documents may be downloaded through website www.eproc.karnataka. gov.in/ eportal/index.seam and last date for bids submission through e-portal is on dated 28.02.2023 till 16.00 PM for the following works.

SL No:1:Name of Work:Improvements of road from Honnihal to Grave yard and NH-748AA to Shantai Vruddhashram in Belagavi Taluka[2022-23] [Indent No 35799], Amount put to tender (In Lakhs):211.67, SL No:2:Name of Work: Construction of CC road at Balekundri BK and Mutaga village's in Belagavi Taluka(2022-23) [Indent No 35800] ,Amount put to tender (In Lakhs):211.58, SL No:3:Name of Work:Construction of Community Hall at Hirebagewadi villages in Belagavi Taluka. (2022-23) [Indent No 35910] ,Amount put to tender (In Lakhs):169.00.

2.The Pre-bid Meeting will be held in the office of the Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division Khanapur on 21.02.2023 at 11.30 hrs, 3.The Technical Bid will be opened on:01.03.2023 at 16:30 hrs at the office of the Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur

4.The Financial Bid will be opened after approval to the financial bid at the office of the Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur 5.Name of the Division for Contact: Executive Engineer, KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur – 591302 (Ph. No. 08336 – 222163). 6.For further details such as, EMD amount, time limit, cost of tender form, eligibility for work, terms and conditions of tender visit our website www.knnlindia.com or contact the EE, KPD, Khanapur during office hours on any working day.Conditional tenders are liable to be rejected. The officer competent to accept the tender reserves the right of cancelling / rejecting all or any of the tenders without assigning any reasons whatsoever. 7.Further information can be had from the under signed during the office hours on telephone 08336-222163 and HP company helpline (080)25501216.

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
KNNL, Kalasa Project Division, Khanapur

DIPR/BGM/RO-NO-1813/KSMCA/2022-23

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punjab national bank

Circle SASTRA Bangalore :
No.26-27, Raheja Towers, (I Floor),
M.G. Road, Bangalore-560001.
Tel No. 080-25095087.

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act(SARFAESI), 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules,

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property(ies) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/physical/ symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank/ Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on the date as mentioned in the table herein below, for recovery of its dues due to the Bank/ Secured Creditor from the respective borrower (s) and guarantor (s). The reserve price and the earnest money deposit is mentioned in the table below against the respective properties.

The auction will be held on 24.03.2023 from 11.00 AM to 03.00 PM

SCHEDULE OF THE SECURED ASSETS

Sl. No.	Branch Name : Branch Contact No : A/c Name : A/c No :	Description of the property	A) SARFAESI Details Possession B) Outstanding Amount in Rs.	A) Reserve Price B) EMD C) Bid Increase Amount
1	Branch : Frazer Town (120200) **Mob No.9962022231** M/s Jai Hind Traders Proprietor Shri Fayaz Ahmed (Borrower), Shri Fayaz Ahmed S/o Mohammed Mastan, Smt.Asma H A W/o Fayaz Ahmed (Mortgagor), Shri Suhail Ahmed M G (Guarantor) **A/C No. 1202008700001618**	All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing a Portion of Site No 38, Khata Old No 188, new 188/38, being a portion of Asst No 208/1, situated at Kacharakanahalli Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, together with construction thereon, presently falls under BBMP Ward No 24, HBR Layout, Bangalore and located at 1st Stage, 2nd Block, HBR Layout, Bangalore measuring East to West (71+69)/2 Feet (i.e., Northern Side 71 Feet and Southern Side 69 Feet), North to South (18+15)/2 Feet (i.e Eastern Side 18 Feet and Western Side 15 Feet) in all totally measuring 1155 Square Feet and bounded on the **East By :** Road, **West By :** Private Property, **North By**	A) 13(2) 11.10.2022 13(4) 29.12.2022 Symbolic **B) Rs.52,21,823.91** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A) Rs. 1,35,00,000/-** **B) Rs. 13,50,000/-** **C) Rs. 1,00,000/-**
2	Branch : Frazer Town (120200) **Mob No.9962022231** Shri S Sadiq Ahmed S/o Sardar Ahmed (Borrower/Mortgagor) & Smt Majidunnissa W/o S Sadiq Ahmed (Borrower / Mortgagor) **A/C No. 10466015002222**	All that piece and parcel of the residential property along with the building and fixtures standing thereon and bearing No 46/1, PID No 92:57:46/1, (earlier forming southern portion of property bearing No 46); situated at Narayanappa Block, (5th Cross Narayanappa Block in Munivenkatamma Block, K G Byadarahalli), Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No 92, Bangalore and bounded on the **East By :** Private Property bearing No 47, **West By :** Road, **North By :** Private Property bearing No 46 and **South By :** Open Storm Water	A) 13(2) 03.10.2022 13(4) 29.12.2022 Symbolic **B) Rs.20,30,784.39** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A) Rs. 1,09,00,000/-** **B) Rs. 10,00,000/-** **C) Rs. 1,00,000/-**
3	Branch : Frazer Town (120200) **Mob No.9962022231** Shri K Sathyanarayan S/o M Krishnan (Borrower & Mortgagor), S Sree Krishnan S/o K Sathyanarayan (Borrower &Mortgator), Shri K Vishwanathan S/o K KothandaSwamy (Guarantor) **A/C No. 120200NC00010027 & 1202009900000317**	All that piece and parcel of residential property bearing Municipal No 17 PID No 91-86-17, Northern Portion of Property bearing No 35/C, Paranjyothi Road, Frazer Town, Bangalore situated within the limits of BBMP Ward No 91 measuring on the East 15 Feet 11 ½ Inches, West 18 Feet 8 Inches North 40 Feet & South 40 Feet in all measuring 694 Square Feet and bounded on the **East By :** Paranjyothi Road, **West By :** Conservancy Lane, **North By :** Private Property & **South By :** Premises bearing No 17/1 belonging to Sri A.L Arokianathan along with a built up area of 5 Squares in the ground floor and 5 Squares in the First Floor comprised of RCC Roofing, with brick walls and cement mortar, Mosaic Flooring, Jungle Wood used, with amenities of Water	A) 13(2) 17.10.2022 13(4) 29.12.2022 Symbolic **B) Rs.23,76,435.41** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A) Rs. 1,45,28,000/-** **B) Rs. 14,50,000/-** **C) Rs. 1,00,000/-**
4	Branch : H R B R LAYOUT (156210) **Mob No.9962022231** M/s Medcube Healthcare, Shri Suman Kumar (Partner), Shobha Savitri Sah (Partner) & Shri Amarendra Singh (Guarantor) **A/C No. 156210IL00000019, 15624011000150, 15627011000267**	All that piece and parcel of the property carved out of Site bearing No 371, Khata No. form – 9 – 1009/575/371, Form No 11 – 945/575/371 formed in Sy No 137/1, in the layout known as "Aditya Grand" situated at Kolathur Village, Kasaba Hobli, Hoskote Taluk, Bangalore District, Layout duly approved by Hoskote Planning Authority vide order No HPA/LAO/05/2012-13, dated 30/07/2012, measuring East to West : 40 Feet and North to South : Eastern Side 35.9 Feet & Western Side 36.5 Feet, totally measuring 1441 Square Feet, bounded on the **East By :** 9 Meters Wide Road, **West By :** Site No 380, **North By :** Site No 372 and	A) 13(2) 09.05.2022 13(4) 19.07.2022 Symbolic **B) Rs. 1,07,88,755.45** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A) Rs. 36,00,000/-** **B) Rs. 3,60,000/-** **C) Rs. 25,000/-**
5	Branch : Sadashiv Road (SOL: 108410) **Mob No.9962022231** M/s Nithya Sree Exports Private Limited, Shri A V Anantha Padmanabha, Shri Arjun Agnihotri, Smt Shyla Padmanabha, Shri Srivallabha & Smt R Sushma Mortgagor: Sri A. V. AnanthaPadmanabha **A/C No. 10844015001344**	Residential Flat bearing No 306, 3rd Floor, Kumar Ashraya Apartments, with super built up area of 661 Sq Ft with UDS of 485 sqft, situated at Old No 75/3, Municipal No 194/1, New Corporation No 194/33, 9th Cross, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Corporation Ward No 50, R V Road, Bangalore (Sale Deed No JAY-1-03772-2004-05).The flat is constructed on the property bearing old no.75/3,Municipal No.194/1,measuring 19363 sqft, situated at 9th cross, 2nd block, Jayanagar, Corporation Ward No.50(RV Road),Bangalore measuring East 45.731 Mtrs., West 40.855 Mtrs., North 33.841 Mtrs and South 54.268 Mtrs in all admeasuring 19,363. Sq. feet of the land and appurtenances thereon and bounded on **East by** : Corporation drain on property No.399 & 400, **West by** : Property No.194, belonging to Mr.Aylam Addur Ravoof, **North by** : 9th Cross Road, 2nd Block,	A) 13(2) 25.08.2022 13(4) 10.11.2022 Symbolic **B) Rs. 43,68,068.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A) Rs. 52,50,000/-** **B) Rs. 5,25,000/-** **C) Rs.50,000/-**
6	Branch : J P NAGAR (159400) **Mob No.9962022231** RADHA N **A/C No. 159400NC00004426**	Residential Flat No. 304, on the third Floor, two bed rooms, in the building known as " SRI HARI RESIDENCY" apartment having 920 sqft of Super built up area along with 255 sqft of undivided share in the Land and One Car Parking Space in the basement area, constructed on all that piece and parcel of property bearing no.19/3, portion of residential converted land bearing Survey No. 19/3, vide Conversion Order bearing No. BDS .ALN(E) VB/SR/205/2003-04, dated 28.07.2003, issued by the special Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District Bangalore Khatha No. 809, measuring 7623 sqft, towards southern Side situated at Kaikondrahalli Village Varthur Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk and bounded on the **East by:** Road and Sri Papanna Reddy's property, **West By:** Sri Shamanna Reddy's	A) 13(2) 25.01.2017 13(4) 03.04.2017 Symbolic **B) Rs. 47,04,070.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A)Rs. 40,14,000/-** **B) Rs. 4,00,000/-** **C) Rs.25,000/-**
7	Branch : Bangalore Jayanagar (128700) **Mob No.9962022231** Mr. P. Sridhar & S Panduranga Shri Diwakara N Nagarajappa (Guarantor) **A/C No. 128700NC00007220** Mrs. Shobha R (Mortgagor)	All that piece and parcel of property bearing No. 9/2-1, situated at 11th Main Road, PrakashNagar , Bangalore , presently comes under the administrative jurisdiction of BBMP , in ward No. 23, PID No. 23-26-9/2-1, New PID No. 098-W0074-1,PID No. measuring East to west 15 feet and North to south 30 feet totally measuring 450 sqft with building thereon with all civic amenities bounded on the **East by:** Property belongs to Chandrasekhar, **West By:** Road, **North By :** Road and	A) 13(2) 07.10.2016 13(4) 17.12.2016 Symbolic **B) Rs.55,06,049.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A) Rs. 59,00,000/-** **B) Rs. 5,90,000/-** **C) Rs. 50,000/-**
8	Branch : Peenya Branch (SOL: 125100) **Mob No.9962022231** Mr.Manchal Eswara Reddy (Borrower / Mortgagor) **A/C No. 1251009300015755** ***Same property is extended to NPA a/c SRI RAGHAVENDRA INDUSTRIES with B/o Rs.2,86,07,788.88**	All that piece and parcel of property bearing site no. 1136 formed by the HMT Employees Co- Operative House Building Society Ltd. Nagasandra, Nelakadarenahalli Village (in Survey No. 1/3A, 48 /1& 2 ,49,50/2 to 5, 51/8, 52/1, 53/1& 2, 54/1 to 10 55/1, 2A,2B,3,4 & 5 ,56/1 to 4 ,57,58,59/1&2, 60,61,62/1 & 2, 63/1 to 4 ,64 ,66 ,67/3 of Nagasandra Village Survey No. 5/1, 5/2, 6/7 to 10,7,8/1, 8/2, 9/1, 9/2, 9/3, 10/1, 10/2, 11/1, 11/2, 11/3, 12/1 to 5 and 13/1 of Nelakadarenahalli Village in all measuring 129 Acres 34 Guntas) Comes Under Town Municipal Dasarahalli, presently coming under BBPM and BBMP Khata No. 1016/1136 , situated at Yeshwanthapur Hobli , Bangalore North Taluk , measuring East to west:40 feet or 12.19 Meters and north to south : 60 Feet or 18.28 meters in all 2400 Square feet or 222.83 Square meters and Bounded as **East by:** Site No. 1137,	A) 13(2) 19.04.2021 13(4) 28.09.2021 Symbolic **B) Rs.1,33,02,892.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A) Rs. 2,05,00,000/-** **B) Rs. 20,50,000/-** **C) Rs. 2,00,000/-**

The auction will be held on 10.03.2023 from 11.00 AM to 03.00 PM

1	Branch : EGL Business Park, Domlur (754700) **Mob No.9962022231** SOWMYA B **A/C No. 754700NC00001438** **Mr. B. Udaya S/o late SubbaiahNaik (Mortgagor)**	Residential flat bearing No. 103 on the first floor, having super built up area of 1225 sqft, containing two bed rooms, with covered car parking space in the basement floor, together with 260 sft. of undivided share right title and interest in the apartment building known as SV Flora and bounded on the East by open space West by open to Sky , North by corridor and flat No. 102 and South by open to Sky, constructed in all that piece and parcel of property bearing site no. 15 khatha No. 60/2 CMC Khatha No. 365/60-2-15, situated singasandra Village, begur bohli Bangalore South taluk under the administrative jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore mahanagara Palike under BBMP Khataha no. 264/365/60/2/15, measuring East to West 50 feet and north to south 80 feet totally measuring 4000 sft and bounded on the **East By :** Site	A) 13(2) 16.12.2017 13(4) 09.04.2018 Symbolic **B) Rs.41,36,451.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date**	**A)Rs. 49,30,000/-** **B)Rs. 4,93,000/-** **C)Rs. 25,000/-**
2	Branch : EGL Business Park, Domlur (754700) **Mob No.9962022231** Challur Sarvanakumar **A/C No. 754700NC00001182**	Residential prop bearing 2BHK Flat no 402 fourth floor in the apartment building known as SV Flora, measuring 1090 sqft of super built up area together with 230 sqft of undivided share and interest in property bearing no 15 khatha no 60/2 CMC KHATHA no 365/60-2/15 situated at Singasandra village Begur hobli bangalore south taluk , now property comes under the administrative jurisdiction of bruhat bangalore Mahanagara palike under BBMP kharha no. 264/365/60/2/15 bounded on the, **East** :Site No. 16, **West By :** Property owned by Narayana swamy, **North :** Road, **South :** Property belongs to Narayana swamy.	A) 13(2) 06.10.2017 13(4) 29.05.2018 Symbolic **B) Rs.39,61,520.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 44,00,000/-** **B)Rs. 4,40,000/-** **C)Rs. 25,000/-**
3	Branch : Bangalore - Indira Nagar (098510) **Mob No.9962022231** Kohila Narayanan **A/C No. 09856041000360, 09856041001749**	Residential flat bearing No. G-1 Ground Floor (I floor as per the sale deed) of the apartment building named "Charita Residency" 6th G Cross, Kaggadaspura, C V Raman Nagar, K R PuramHobli, Bangalore East, built up measuring 400 sqft along with all common areas attributable thereto and without car parking space, along with undivided share of land of 66 sqft and bounded on the **East by:** Private Property, **West by:** Private Property, **North by:** Road and **South by:** Lake. Landmark: Kaggadaspura, C V Raman Nagar.	A) 13(2) 07.07.2010 13(4) 04.08.2011 Physical **B) Rs.6,95,370.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 6,05,000/-** **B)Rs. 60,000/-** **C)Rs. 10,000/-**
4	Branch : Richmond Road Branch (020710) **Mob No.9962022231** Mr. VimpeshVimalKankariya & Mrs. MehaKankariya **A/C No. 02079011000536**	Residential Flat bearing No.500 B, 5th floor, Terrace flat, (New Municipal no.8/21A, PID no.73-5-8/21-A) building "WILDFLOWER HALL", site bearing No.9, situated at Rustam Bagh Estate, Kodihalli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bangalore-560017, having super built up area of 1750 Sq.feet together with all common areas attributable thereto and car parking space in the basement, along with Undivided share of land of 426 sqft and bounded on **East By:** Plot No. 8, **West By:** Plot No. 10, **North By:** Private Property belonging to the defence department , **South By:** 25 ft private road, **Landmark:** Rustom Bagh Main Road.	A) 13(2) 04.05.2016 13(4) 20.07.2016 Physical **B) Rs. 97,72,183.00** **Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs.48,60,000/-** **B)Rs. 5,00,000/-** **C)Rs. 25,000/-**

Encumbrances : No such information known to the best of knowledge of Authorized Officer. The bidders are requested to do their own Due Diligence.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E-AUCTION SALE : 1. The sale shall be subject to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 and to the following further conditions. (1) The auction sale will be "online through e-auction" porta**l http://www.mstcecommerce.com. 2.** The intending Bidders/ Purchasers are requested to register on portal (https:www.mstcauction.com) using their mobile number and email-id. Further, they are requested to upload requisite KYC documents. Once the KYC documents are verified by e-auction service provider (may take 2 working days), the intending Bidders/ Purchasers has to transfer the EMD amount using online mode in his Global EMD Wallet before the e-auction Date and time in the portal. The registration, verification of KYC documents and transfer of EMD in wallet must be completed well in advance, before auction date. **3.** Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) amount as mentioned above shall be paid online through 3 mode i.e. NEFT/ Cash/ Transfer (After generation of Challan from (https:www.mstcecommerce.com) in bidders Global EMD Wallet. NEFT transfer can be done from any Scheduled Commercial Bank, however for Cash/ Transfer the bidder has to visit Punjab National Bank Branch. Payment of EMD by any other mode such as Cheques will not be accepted. Bidders, not depositing the required EMD online, will not be allowed to participate in the e-auction. The Earnest Money Deposited shall not bear any interest. **4.** Platform **(https:www.mstcecommerce.com)** for e-Auction will be provided by e Auction service provider M/S MSTC Limited having its Registered office at 225-C, A.J.C. Bose Road, Kolkata700020 (contact Phone & Toll free Numbers 079-41072412/ 411/ 413 or 1800-103-5342). The intending Bidders/ Purchasers are required to participate in the e-Auction process at e-Auction Service Provider"s website **https:www.mstcecommerce.com**. This Service Provider will also provide online demonstration/ training on e-Auction on the portal. **5.** The Sale Notice containing the General Terms and Conditions of Sale is available / published in the following websites/ web page portal. **(1) https://www.ibapi.in (2) https://eprocure.gov.in/epublish/app (3) http://www.mstcecommerce.com/. (4) www.pnbindia.in, 6.** The intending participants of e-auction may download free of cost, copies of the Sale Notice, Terms & Conditions of e-auction,Help Manual on operational part of e-Auction related to this eAuction from e -बिक्रय IBAPI portal (https://www.ibapi.in). **7.** The intending Bidders / Purchasers are requested to register on portal (https:www.mstcauction.com) using their mobile number and email-id. Further, they will upload the requisite KYC documents. Once the KYC documents are verified by e-auction service provider (may take 2 working days),the intending Bidders/Purchasers has to transfer the EMD amount using online mode in his Global EMD Wallet. Only after having sufficient EMD in his Wallet, the interested bidder will be able to bid on the date of e-auction. **8.** Bidder's Global Wallet should have sufficient balance (>=EMD amount) at the time of bidding. **9. During the e-auction, there has to be a minimum of one bid increment and bidders will be allowed to offer higher bid in inter-se bidding over and above the last bid quoted and the minimum increase in the bid amount must be as mentioned against each properties to the last higher bid of the bidders. Ten minutes time will be allowed to bidders to quote successive higher bid and if no higher bid is offered by any bidder after the expiry of ten minutes to the last highest bid, the e-auction shall be closed.** 10. It is the responsibility of intending Bidder(s) to properly read the Sale Notice, Terms & conditions of e-auction, Help Manual on operational part of e-Auction and follow them strictly. **(1)** In case of any difficulty or need of assistance before or during e-Auction process may contact authorized representative of our e-Auction Service Provider (http://www.mstcecommerce.com/). Details of which are available on the e-Auction portal. **11.** After finalization of e-Auction by the Authorized Officer, only successful bidder will be informed by our above referred service provider through SMS/ email. (On mobile no/ email address given by them/ registered with the service provider). **12.** The secured asset will not be sold below the reserve price. **13.** The successful bidder shall have to deposit 25% (twenty five percent) of the bid amount, less EMD amount deposited, on the same day or not later than the next working day and the remaining amount shall be paid within 15 days from the date of auction in the form of Banker's Cheque/ Demand Draft issued by a Scheduled Commercial Bank drawn in favour of "The Authorized Officer, Punjab National Bank, A/c (Name of the A/C) Payable at Bangalore. In case of failure to deposit the amounts as above within the stipulated time, the amount deposited by successful bidder will be forfeited to the Bank and Authorized Officer shall have the liberty to conduct a fresh auction/ sale of the property & the defaulting bidder shall not have any claim over the forfeited amount and the property. **14.** Payment of sale consideration by the successful bidder to the bank will be subject to TDS under Section 194- 1A of Income Tax Act 1961 and TDS is to be made by the successful bidder only at the time of deposit of remaining 75 % of the bid amount/full deposit of BID amount. **15.** The Authorised Officer reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids, if not found acceptable or to postpone/cancel/adjourn/discontinue or vary the terms of the auction at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever and his decision in this regard shall be final. **16.** The sale certificate shall be issued in the favour of successful bidder on deposit of full bid amount as per the provisions of the act. **17.** The properties are being sold on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS and "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS" and "WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS". 18.** The particulars of Secured Assets specified in the Schedule hereinabove have been stated to the best of the information of the Authorised Officer, but the Authorised Officer shall not be answerable for any error, misstatement or omission in this proclamation. **19.** It shall be the responsibility of the bidders to inspect and satisfy themselves about the asset and specification before submitting the bid. The bidder inspect the property in consultation with the dealing official as per the details provided. **20.** All statutory dues/attendant charges/other dues including registration charges, stamp duty, taxes etc. shall have to be borne by the purchaser. **21. The Authorized Officer or the Bank shall not be responsible for any charge, lien, encumbrances, or any other dues to the Government or anyone else in respect of properties (E-Auctioned) not known to the bank. The Intending Bidder is advised to make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances on the property including statutory liabilities, arrears of property tax, electricity dues etc. 22.** The bidder should ensure proper internet connectivity, power back-up etc. The Bank shall not be liable for any disruption due to internet failure, power failure or technical reasons or reasons/contingencies affecting the e-auctions. **23.** It is open to the Bank to appoint a representative and make self bid and participate in the auction. For detailed term and conditions of the sale, please refer **https://www.ibapi.in, https://eprocure.gov.in/epublish/app, http://www.mstcecommerce.com/, www.pnbindia.in.**

Place : Bangalore
Date : 20.02.2023

Sd/- AUTHORISED OFFICER & CHIEF MANAGER
PUNJAB NATIONAL BANK (SECURED CREDITOR)

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PREMISES REQUIRED

Punjab National Bank requires suitable ready built and well-constructed hall type building having Carpet Area including space for ATM **(1200.00sqft to 1500.00sqft)** on lease/ rental basis. premises should be in Ground Floor at **80 feet road, Koramangala, Bangalore.** Premises offered should have all clearance certificates from statutory authorities. Interested owners / registered Power of attorney Holders of such premises in the desired locality who are ready to lease out their readily available premises on long term lease basis preferably for 15 years or more may send their offers in the prescribed format available on Bank's WebSite www.pnbindia.in or the same may be obtained from the above address during office hours. The complete offer duly sealed & signed should reach the undersigned on or before **(13.03.2023 till 05.00 PM)** at the above address. No brokerage will be paid by the Bank. Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any or all offers at its sole discretion without assigning any reasons whatsoever.

Date: 21.02.2023 — **Circle Head**
Place: Bangalore — **Bangalore Circle**

Government of Karnataka
(PWD Division Raichur)

EXECUTIVE ENGINEER PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT DIVISION RAICHUR

Telephone No. : 08532-225778 & 234747

E-PROCUREMENT SHORT TERM TENDER NOTIFICATION -(KW- 1, 3 & 4)

THESE WORKS ARE GENARAL, SC & ST CONTRACTORS

1) Notification No & Date : PWD/RDN/TS-4/TN/2022-23/ 6503 Date: 14-02-2023 2) Name of work's: Raichur District Total 15 work's Raichur, Manvi, Deodurga, Lingasugur & Sindhanur taluk Different types of roads, Building and other development works. 3) Amount of works: Min Rs. 508204.36 Max Rs. 42372656.55 4) EMD Amount Min Rs. 8500.00 Max Rs. 636000.00 5) Period (including Manson) Min 1 (One) Month Max 9 (Nine) Months 6) Last Date and Time for Receipt of Tender: 27/02/2023 16:00:00 7) Date and Time for Opening of Tender : 28/02/ 2023 16:30:00

For More details visit this website https://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in

SD/- EXECUTIVE ENGINEER,
PWD Division, RAICHUR.

DIP/Raichur/642/KSMC&A/2022-23

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are informed that, my client Padmashri Thamadaddi W/o Mallappa Thamadaddi and is the absolute owner of all that piece and parcel of the Southern portion of the Property bearing No. 1, Khatha No. 25, New BBMP Khatha No. 3967, situated at Yellukunte Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, measuring East to West 30 ft and North to South 40 ft., along with RCC Roofed House and bounded on: East by: Road, West by: Property belongs to Shashikumar, North by: Remaining portion of Site No. 1., South by: Road. inform the general public that they intent to mortgage the said property in favour of M/s PIRAMAL CAPITAL AND HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED and anyone having any claim over the said property or any other claims by any person/s Nationalized banks, MNC Banks Private Banks, Co-Operative Banks any Financial institutions Governed by the RBI Rules may lodge their objections in writing within 07 days from this day to the undermentioned Advocate.

KSR Associates
ADVOCATES & LEGAL CONSULTANTS
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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby notified that my client **Sri. V. D. Ramu** S/o, Sri. Doddaiah, intend to purchase the schedule A & B property from Vendors (1) Sri. Rajanna S/o. Late Dasappa, R/at. No. 81, near Gangamma Temple, Anjanapura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru south taluk, Bengaluru-62. (2) Sri. Govindappa S/o. Late. Dasappa, R/at. No. 78, near Gangamma temple, Anjanapura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru south Taluk, Bengaluru-62.

General public are notified that if there are any claimants or objectors/financial institutions or any other entity opposing the sale transaction, who possess valid and tenable documents in that regard may put forth their claim if any to the title or possession of the schedule A & B property to the address of the counsel of the purchaser within 10 days from publication. Any objection without copies of valid documents and which is made after 10 days of publication will not be consider and my client shall go ahead with the sale transaction as if there is no objection or claim.

SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the agriculture land bearing Sy. No. 69/3, measuring 1 Acre 03 Guntas, situated at Anjanapuru Village , Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru south taluk, Bengaluru, bounded on, East by : 60 feet Road; West by: BDA Property; North by: Land bearing Sy.No.69/4;South by: Land bearing Sy.No.69/2.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the agriculture land bearing Sy. No. 69/4, measuring 1 Acre 03 Guntas, situated at Anjanapuru Village , Uttarahalli Hobli, Bengaluru south taluk, Bengaluru, bounded on, East by : 60 feet Road; West by: BDA Property; North by: Land bearing Sy.No.70;South by: Land bearing Sy.No.69/3.

Sri.S.M.Biradar, Advocate
No.83, 2nd Floor, Sunkalpet Main Road,
Cubbonpet, Bangalore-02.
Mobile,99809 49477.
Date: 20-02-2023 Bengaluru

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to bring to the notice of the General Public that, We., (i) Smt Suvarna W/o Late Gangaraju, aged about 50 years, residing at Hyadalu Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, (ii) Smt Sangeetha D/o Late Gangaraju, aged about 31 years, residing at Rameshwara Village, Doddabelavangala Hobli, Doddaballapur Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District, and (iii) Smt Rajeshwari D/o Late Gangaraju aged about 25 years, residing at Yellachagere Village, Kasaba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District are the joint owners of the agricultural property bearing Sy.No.11/3 measuring 0.34 Guntas situated at Kanegowdanahalli Village, Kasba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, herein after referred as schedule to this notice, while the same was acquired through inheritance.

I hereby declare that I have already terminated the registered General Power of Attorney with respect to schedule property executed on 27-08-2007 Vide., Document No.NMG-4-00226-2007-08 Stored in Book No.4, C.D No.NMGD89 duly registered before the Sub-register, Nelamangala and that which was executed by us and in pursuance of the same have issued a termination legal notice to Chandrashekar Gowda on 13-02-2023 and the same duly served to him and the same Power of Attorney is not binding on me. Any conveyance Deed/s executed on the strength of the above Power of Attorney are Null and Void-Ab-initio and the same are not binding on us. The Purchasers of this property do not acquire any title over such property. Hence, this Public notice.

I hereby cancel the Power of Attorney dated 27-08-2007 executed in favour of Chandrashekar Gowda and the said Chandrashekar Gowda does not acquire any Right, Title and interest over the Schedule property on strength of Power of Attorney dated 27-08-2007.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of agricultural land bearing Sy.No.11/3 measuring 0.34 Guntas, situated at Kanegowdanahalli Village, Kasba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, Bengaluru Rural District and bounded on the:

East by : Land belongs to A.Siddanna,
West by : Land belongs to Renukamma,
North by : Land belongs to N.Linganna,
South by : Land belongs to A.Shivanna.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

PALGHAT DIVISION

Sr. Divisional Engineer/Co-ordination/Southern Railway/Palakkad invites E – TENDERS for the following works.
E - TENDER NOTICE No. PGT/OT/04/2023 dated 17.02.2023

S. No	Name of work	Approximate Cash value ₹ (in Lakhs)	Bid Security Amount (₹)	Tender closing date 15.00 hrs on	Completion Period In Months
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1	Divisional Engineer/East/ Palakkad Jurisdiction-Provision for new PF shelters, passenger amenities like pay and use toilet, water cistern, benches, etc at 18 stations.	174.30	2,37,200/-	14.03.2023	Twelve
2	Palakkad Division: Podanur-Shornur & Shornur - Calicut section: Provision of gauge face rail lubricators on curves including operation for two years after free operation of one year.	113.00	2,06,500/-	21.03.2023	Six
3	Senior Section Engineer/ Permanent Way/East/Palakkad section: Removal of vegetation, jungle, bushes at midsection alongside the track, in between the tracks in Up and Dn lines for 2 years.	232.80	2,66,400/-	14.03.2023	Twenty Four
4	Senior Section Engineer/ Permanent Way/West/Palakkad and Kollengode section: Removal of vegetation, jungle, bushes at midsection alongside the track, in between the tracks in Up and Dn lines for 2 years.	177.35	2,38,700/-	21.03.2023	Twenty Four
5	Senior Section Engineer/ Permanent Way/West/Podanur section: Removal of vegetation, jungle, bushes at midsection alongside the track, in between the tracks in Up and Dn lines (Ghat section area between Madukkarai-Walayar and Walayar-Kanjikode section) for 2 years.	246.07	2,73,000/-	14.03.2023	Twenty Four
6	Palakkad Division: Raising of Platform at Bakel Fort (platform No.2), Jagantha temple gate (platform No.2), Dharmadam (platform No.2), Iringal (platform No.1 & 2), Mukkali (platform No.2). Nadapuram Road (platform No.1), Vellarakad (platform No.2) Ullal (PF 1 & 2), Manjeshwar (PF 1 & 2), Kasaragod (PF-1), Kanhangad (PF-2) Charavattur (PF-2) & Payyanur (PF-2)	1399.47	8,49,700/-	14.03.2023	Fifteen
7	Divisional Engineer/West jurisdiction - Proposed Overhauling and maintenance of Lifting Barrier gates for a period of 2 years - 74 nos of LCs.	396.09	3,48,100/-	14.03.2023	Twenty Four
8	Assistant Divisional Engineer/ Palakkad sub division; Proposed Overhauling and maintenance of Lifting Barrier gates for a period of 2 years-33 nos of LCs.	199.10	2,49,600/-	14.03.2023	Twenty Four
9	Assistant Divisional Engineer/ Shoranur sub division; Proposed Overhauling and maintenance of Lifting Barrier gates for a period of 2 years-23 nos of LCs.	138.77	2,19,400/-	14.03.2023	Twenty Four
10	Repairs to Foot Over bridges at stations in Senior Section Engineer/Works/Mangalore section.	68.59	1,37,200/-	14.03.2023	Six
11	Divisional Engineer/East section-Proposed FOB's at Shoranur & Tirur (NSG-3) stations-(1 new FOB at Shoranur & extension of 1 FOB at Tirur) - Balance work.	356.99	3,28,500/-	14.03.2023	Twelve
12	1. Provision of S&T accommodation at Shoranur Yard and upgradation of telecommunication arrangements in control office of Palakkad Division. 2. Construction of Store and Rest Room at Senior Section Engineer/Works/Shoranur office. 3. Construction of case property room at Shoranur.	54.00	1,08,000/-	21.03.2023	Four

Eligibility criteria for single similar work previously executed	Item No.1,6,12	Any Civil Engineering work except Track works / transportation.
	Item No. 2	Supply with or without installation/operation/ annual maintenance contract of rail gauge face lubricator in Indian Railways or Metro Railway in India (Track lubricators should be procured from RDSO approved vendors only)
	Item No. 3, 4, 5	Any work under Train Traffic condition
	Item No.7,8,9.	Any Civil Engineering work
	Item No.10	Fabrication and Erection of Steel works
	Item No.11	Any Civil Engineering work involving fabrication and erection of steel structures

1. All the contracts on Works/goods/services will be subject to the new GST Act as applicable from time to time.
2. Contractors/Suppliers have to register themselves with GST authorities and to furnish the GST registration number in order to process the bills from 01.7.2017 onwards.

For complete details of the above tenders please visit Web site "**http://www.ireps.gov.in**"

Sr. Divisional Engineer/Co-ordination/Palakkad
(For and on behalf of the President of India)

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PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001)
Corporate Identity No. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
Mobile No. 96461-10914

E-Tender Enq.No. 7375/P-1/EMP-12196 — dated : 14.02.23

Dy. Chief Engineer / Headquarter (Procurement Cell-1) GGSSTP, Roopnagar invites **E-Tender ID No. 2023_POWER_96684_1** for Procurement of Hardware material (BM Group) for 22-23.

For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **15.02.2023 / 05.00 PM** onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum & addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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76155/12/1432/2022/21368

RAIL COACH FACTORY KAPURTHALA

Bidders may please note the following changes in Tender mentioned below

Sr. No.	Tender No. & Due Date	Description	Qty. Nos/Sets	EMD (Rs.)
1.	05221409 16.03.2023	WTCC For 3 Phase.	317 NOS	142650

CORRIGENDUM

S. No.: 1; **TENDER NO:**. 02221001**B** for Supply, Installation, Commissioning and Maintenance of GPS Location Based Public Address and Passenger Information System. **DUE DATE TO BE READ AS:** 03/03/2023; **Instead of**: 17.02.2023 **S. No.:** 2; TENDER NO: 02221409 for Infotainment System for LHB AC Chair Car cum parcel Van (Double Decker) coaches .**DUE DATE TO BE READ AS:** 03.03.2023; **Instead of:** 17.02.2023

T. NO. G-RCF/122/Stores/134/2022-23 Date:20-02-2023 — **PCMM**

TUNGABHADRA BOARD: TB DAM

e-Procurement Notice IFB No.140/2022-23 Dt.23.01.2023 (2nd Call)

Tender for the work of "Collection of entrance fee from the tourists visiting TB Dam & its Gardens" is re-invited in respect of HW & HLC Division, TB Dam through 'e-Procurement'.

Bid Document downloading Start Date & Time:	21.02.2023 at 11:00 AM
Bid Document downloading End Date & Time :	28.02.2023 at 3:00 PM
Bid Submission End Date & Time :	28.02.2023 at 5:30 PM
Date of opening of PQ Stage:	28.02.2023 at 6:00 PM
Date of opening of Commercial Stage*:	01.03.2023 at 3.00 PM
Date of opening of TQ Stage:	01.03.2023 at 5.00 PM

Further details can be seen @ https://tender.apeprocurement.gov.in
*** Commencement of E-Auction**

Sd/-
Superintending Engineer,
I.B, TB Board, TB Dam

Ph: 08394-259114
Fax: 08394-259167

DOCUMENT LOST

I, **BADRUNNISSA** D/o Late Sri Mohammed Ghouse @ Mohammed Ghouse Khan, W/o Late Sri Mohammed Anwar, age 62 years, R/at No. 18, Ranoji Rao Street, Kalasipalya, Bangalore-560 002, do hereby inform to the general public that I have lost original Sale Agreement bearing No. 5006/1982-83 of Book No. 1 at Volume No. 3652, pages 21 to 22, dated 19-03-1983, registered in the office the Sub-Registrar, Bangalore North Taluk. Inspite of my best efforts I could not trace the same and in this regard on 17-02-2023, I had lodged online police complaint at Police Unit, Bengaluru, vide Lost Report No. 0476756/2023. If anybody finds the above said document, please handover the same to the above said address or contact me on 7406114605

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Advt. No.: 01/2023/IISER-P/FAC_SRD/20.02.2023 — **DEAN, FACULTY**

Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Engineering Division, Belagavi

Tender Invited (E- Procurement)

Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Engineering Division, Belagavi hereby invited tender from Registered Contractors for the Item rates through E Portal. There are works have been called, Standard of tender documents KW- 1,2,3 for highest price of Estimated Cost Rs. 100.00 Lakhs and highest price of Rs. 1.00 lakhs. The last date for Submission of any Quarries is 24-02-2023 17.30 PM, the last date for submission of tender bid is on 09-02- 2023 17:30 PM. Opening of technical bid is on 26-02-2023: 11.00 AM. and Expected Financial bid will be opened on 26-02-2022 11:30 AM. For any other information/ clarifications please contact the below signed office, and also search internet for E-Portal website http://e-proc.karnataka.gov.in

Sd/-
Executive Engineer,
P. R. E. Division, Belagavi.

DIPO/BGM/RONO.1830/22-23

इंडियन बैंक Indian Bank
इलाहाबाद ALLAHABAD

Raja Rajeshwari Nagar Branch
127, Ground Floor, 9th Main Road, Ideal Home Township, Raja Rajeshwari Nagar, Bangalore-560098

APPENDIX- IV-A" [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]

Sale notice for sale of immovable properties

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical /constructive / Symbolic (whichever is applicable) possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Indian Bank, Rajarajeshwarinagar branch, Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 10/03/2023** for recovery of **Rs.42,09,974/- (Rupees Forty Two Lakhs Nine Thousand Nine Hundered and Seventy Four only)** plus interest thereon (as on 08/08/2022 onwards) due to the **Indian Bank, Rajarajeshwarinagar Branch,** Secured Creditor, from **Smt Radha S W/o Sri D Prakash Raju and Sri D Prakash Raju S/o Devaraju** residing at No:13, 3rd Cross MM Lane Cotton Pet Main Road,Bangalore- 560053. (Name and address of the borrower/guarantor).

The specific details of the property intended to be brought to sale through e-auction mode are enumerated below:

Detailed description of the Property: All that piece and parcel of residential land and building consisting of ground, first and second floors; Ground floor measuring 349.91 sqft, first floor measuring 349.91 sqft and second floor measuring 349.91 sqft, Totally measuring 1049.73 sqft constructed on southern side of site bearing no 32, old no 91 subsequently renumbered as 108/59 BBMP ward no 140, 3rd Cross, Raghavendra Colony, Chamrajpete, Bengaluru-560018 Measuring East to West 19 feet and North to South 27 feet in all measuring 513 sqft and **bounded on:** East: Property of Rajabai, West: Property of D Hanumantha Rao, North: 3rd Cross Road and Northern portion of Puttaiah, South: Property of Venkatraman.

Encumbrances on property	**Mortgaged to Indian Bank from 16-02-2022**
Reserve Price	**Rs.47,00,000/-**
EMd Amount	**Rs.4,70,000/-**
Bid incremental amount	**Rs.25,000/-**
Date and time of e-auction	**10/03/2023, 10.00AM to 7.00PM**
Property ID No.	**IDIB7160037005**

Bidders are advised to visit the website **(www.mstcecommerce.com)** of our e auction service provider MSTC Ltd to participate in online bid. For Technical Assistance Please call MSTC HELPDESK No. 033-22901004 and other help line numbers available in service providers help desk. For Registration status with MSTC Ltd, please **contact ibapiop@mstcecommerce.com** and for EMD status please contact **ibapifin@mstcecommerce.com.**

For property details and photograph of the property and auction terms and conditions please **visit: https://ibapi.in** and for clarifications related to this portal, please contact help line number '18001025026' and '011-41106131'.

Bidders are advised to use Property ID Number mentioned above while searching for the property in the website with **https://ibapi.in** and **www.mstcecommerce.com.**

Date: 20.02.2023, Place: Bangalore — **Authorsied Officer, Indian Bank**

Government of Tamil Nadu
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department

District Rural Development Agency, Ramanathapuram
Pradhan Mantri Awaas Yojana – Gramin (PMAY–G) 2022–23
Tender Notice No. R5/326/2023 Dated: 15.02.2023

1. For full details, visit www.tntenders.gov.in.
2. e-bids are invited by the Additional Collector (Dev.), DRDA, Ramanathapuram under two Cover System for supply of Steel rods for the year 2022-23.
3. The bid documents can be downloaded free of cost in the website www.tntenders.gov.in from 16.02.2023 to 28.02.2023.

4.	Last Date and Time for downloading and Submission of Bid Documents	28.02.2023 upto 03.00 p.m
5.	Date and Time of online opening of Bid Documents	28.02.2023. 4.00 p.m onwards

DIPR.1073/Tender/2023 — **Additional Collector (Dev.), DRDA, Ramanathapuram.**

"சோதனை கடந்து சுதந்திரம் அடைந்தோம் சாதனை புரிந்து சரித்திரம் படைப்போம்"

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN:U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No: SEE/Tr(M)/BRAZ/AEE(C)/J.E.(C)/1&2/22-23/6544-49 — Dt: 17.02.2023

TENDER NOTIFICATION (Through e-Procurement Portal only)

KPTCL invites tenders for 03 numbers of Civil Engineering Works (R&M works) coming under the jurisdiction of Superintending Engineer (Ele), Trans, (Maint), BRAZ, KPTCL, U.A.S. Campus, Hebbal, Bengaluru. The tender will be received through e-Procurement mode only. The detailed notification regarding the subject enquiry in the e-Procurement process can obtained by logging on to KPTCL website: **www.kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** on hyperlink **"e-Procurement** or directly logging on to website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** on or after **22.02.2023.** Further details can be obtained from the office of the undersigned.

Sd/- Superintending Engineer (Ele),
Trans. (Maint.), BRAZ, KPTCL, U.A.S. Campus,
Hebbal, Bengaluru-24. Ph: 080-23513952

EMPLOYEES' PROVIDENT FUND ORGANISATION

Regional Office, Bengaluru (Electronic City)
Annapoorneshwari Complex, No. 37/1, 6th Main, Singasandra, Bengaluru–560068
Ph: 080-25734492/29770520/25733817 E-mail: ro.bms1@epfindia.gov.in

NOTIFICATION

Subject : Nidhi Aapke Nikat – District Outreach Programme for EPF Stakeholders on date 27.02.2023

All the EPFO Stakeholders are hereby informed that Regional Office Bengaluru (Electronic City), EPFO is conducting awareness and outreach programme **"Nidhi Aapke Nikat (NAN)"** on **27.02.2023** in Marasur Village for employer and employees for the purpose of grievance redressal and information exchange network

Venue: M/s Aditya Birla fashion and Retail limited, No. 527, Marasur Village & Post, Anekal - Chandapura Road, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-562166. Timing : 09:30 AM Onwards Concerned Employer and Employees/ stakeholders are invited to participate. For more details, please log on the URL: **hhttps://www.epfindia.gov.in/site_docs/PDFs/Circulars/Y2022-2023/55580C-PR2022District_Camps.pdf**

Regional Office
Bengaluru (Electronic City), EPFO

SOUTH WESTERN RAILWAY

E-Tender Notice No. Y/E.29/2022-23/60
Dated : 14.02.2023

The undersigned, on behalf of the President of India, invites E-Tenders for the following work.

Name of the Work	Approx. Value
(Re-tender) Electrical piece work (Zonal work) for Senior Section Engineer / E / Arsikere Jurisdiction for a period of one year.	**Rs. 17,00,000/-**

Last date for submission of bids:
Upto 11:00 Hrs. on 08-03-2023

For details log on: www.ireps.gov.in

Senior Divisional Electrical Engineer
PUB/685/AAS/PRB/SWR/2022-23 **Mysuru**

S.W.Railways SWRRLY SWRRLY

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರ
(ಸಹಕಾರ ಇಲಾಖೆ)
ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಜಂಟಿ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು(ನಿ.441)
ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಸಹಕಾರಿಗಳ ದಾವಾ ಪಂಚಾಯ್ತಿ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯ
ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ರಾಜ್ಯ ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಸಂಯುಕ್ತ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ನಿ.,
ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸೌಧ, ನಂ.68, 1ನೇ ಮಹಡಿ, 17 ಮತ್ತು 18ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ ಮಧ್ಯೆ
ಮಾರ್ಗೋಸಾ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಮಲ್ಲೇಶ್ವರಂ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560055.

ವಾದಿ: ಕೊಡಚಾದ್ರಿ ಪತ್ತಿನ ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಸಂಘ ನಿಯಮಿತ, ಶಿವಮೊಗ್ಗ ಇದರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಇದರ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿ ಸಿ.ಇ.ಓ.

ಪ್ರತಿವಾದಿಗಳು:

ವ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ:ಡಿ.ಆರ್.ಡಿ/ಕ.ರಾ.ಸೌ.ಸಂ.ಸ.ನಿ/839/2022-23

1) ಶ್ರೀ ಶಿವಾನಂದ ಭಟ್.ಕೆ.ಪಿ. ಬಿನ್ ಸೀತಾರಾಂ ಭಟ್ ವಯಸ್ಸು 52 ವರ್ಷ, ವಾಸ: ನಂ.287, 1ನೇ ಮಹಡಿ, 4ನೇ ಮುಖ್ಯ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಬಿ.ಹೆಚ್.ಸಿ.ಎಸ್, ಬಡಾವಣೆ, ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಸಂದ್ರ, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560061.

ವ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಡಿ.ಆರ್.ಡಿ/ಕ.ರಾ.ಸೌ.ಸಂ.ಸ.ನಿ/762/2022-23

1) ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಸುನಿತ ಎಸ್ ಭಟ್, ಕೋಂ ಶಿವಾನಂದ ಭಟ್, ವಯಸ್ಸು 54 ವರ್ಷ,ನಂ.287, 1ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡರಸ್ತೆ, 4ನೇ ಮುಖ್ಯರಸ್ತೆ, ಬಿ.ಹೆಚ್.ಸಿ.ಎಸ್. ಬಡಾವಣೆ ಚಿಕ್ಕಕಲ್ಲಸಂದ್ರ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560061

2) ನಿತ್ಯಾನಂದ ಭಟ್, ಬಿನ್ ಸೀತಾರಾಂ ಭಟ್, ವಯಸ್ಸು 50 ವರ್ಷ, ಜನರಲ್ ಮ್ಯಾನೇಜರ್, ರಾನ್‌ಕಾರ್ಬ್ ಸ್ಟೀಲ್ ಪ್ರೈ ಲಿ., ನಂ. 18/2 ಜಿಗಣೀ ಕೈಗಾರಿ ಪ್ರದೇಶ, 2ನೇ ಹಂತ, ಆನೇಕಲ್ ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು, ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು-560099.

ಪ್ರತಿವಾದಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಪತ್ರಿಕಾ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ಮೂಲಕ ನೋಟೀಸ್

ಈ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ನಿಮಗೆ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇನೆಂದರೆ ಈ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ಪ್ರತಿವಾದಿಗಳು ದಾವಾ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಆರ್.ಡಿ/ಕ.ರಾ.ಸೌ.ಸಂ.ನಿ/839,762/2022-23 ರಂತೆ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಉಪನಿಬಂಧಕರು (ನಿ.441), ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ ಸಹಕಾರಿಗಳ ದಾವಾ ಪಂಚಾಯ್ತಿ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಪರಿಹಾರ ಕರಾರು ಅಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ದಾವೆಯನ್ನು ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ್ದು, ನೀವು ಪ್ರತಿವಾದಿಗಳಾಗಿರುತ್ತೀರಿ. ಆದುದರಿಂದ ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ನಿಮಗೆ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುವುದೇ- ನೆಂದರೆ ಈ ಮೇಲ್ಕಂಡ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದ ಮುಂದೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ:24-02-2023 ರಂದು ಬೆಳಿಗ್ಗೆ 11-00 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ತಾವಾಗಲೀ ತಮ್ಮಿಂದ ನೇಮಕಗೊಂಡ ವಕೀಲರ ಮುಖಾಂತರವಾಗಲೀ ಹಾಜರಾಗಲು ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ತಿಳಿಯಪಡಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ. ತಪ್ಪಿದ್ದಲ್ಲಿ ನಿಮ್ಮ ಗೈರು ಹಾಜರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣವನ್ನು ಏಕ ಪಕ್ಷೀಯವಾಗಿ ಇತ್ಯರ್ಥ ಪಡಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

ಸದರಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 16-02-2023 ರಂದು ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದ ಸಹಿ ಮತ್ತು ಮೊಹರಿನೊಂದಿಗೆ ನೀಡಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಸಹಿ/-
ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಜಂಟಿ ನಿಬಂಧಕರು (ನಿ.441) ದಾವಾ
ಪಂಚಾಯ್ತಿ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯ ಕ.ರಾ.ಸೌ.ಸಂ.ಸ.ನಿ., ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು
(ನ್ಯಾಯಾಲಯದ ಆದೇಶದ ಮೇರೆಗೆ)

Panchayat Raj Engineering Division, Bagalkot

DISTRICT ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE
Room No. 126, Navanagar, Bagalkote.
Phone : 08354-235042, E-mail : bgkeezpe@yahoo.com

No. : EE/PRED/BGK/PB-3/RD/5054/Tender/2022-23/5517
Date : 17-02-2023

SHORT TENDER NOTIFICATION (Two Cover System) (KW - 4 Bid Document)

Tender Called for the Work in the above notification through E-mode tendering is read as below.

Item rate Tender under **Two Cover Bid System** is invited as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement ACT 1999 and Rules 2000 **Standard Bid Document KW - 4** through Public electronic Tendering System **E-Tender from Class-1 contractor (Civil) registered in KPWD**, Who have got adequate financial resources, State of Technology, Suitable Construction equipments technical man Power & Sufficient past Experience for the following Work as per Schedule Given Below.

Tender Called for 2022-23 5054 - Bilagi Constituency (Rs. 12.50 Crore). 2022-23ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಲೆಕ್ಕಶೀರ್ಷಿಕೆ : 5054 ರಡಿ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ ಬೀಳಗಿ ವಿಧಾನಸಭಾ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯ ಗ್ರಾಮೀಣ ರಸ್ತೆ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳು ರೂ. 12.50 ಕೋಟಿ ಅನುದಾನದಡಿ (ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಆದೇಶ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : ಗ್ರಾಂ ಪ 293(16)-2 ಆರ್‌ಆರ್‌ಸಿ 2022 (ಇ-770392), ಬೆಂಗಳೂರು, ದಿನಾಂಕ : 02-07-2022) ಮಾನ್ಯ ಮು.ಕಾ.ನಿ.ಅ. ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಪಂ ಬಾಗಲಕೋಟೆ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ : ಜಿಪಂಬಾ/ಅ/5054/ಬೀ.ಮ/ವಿನಿದಿ/102/2022-23/1945 ದಿನಾಂಕ : 10-08-2022.

Scheme Under Work Indent No. : 99896 read as below.

CALENDAR OF EVENT

1) Request of blank Tender Documents and receipt of Completed Technical & Financial Bid through e-procurement Date : 17-02-2023 to 28-02-2023 at 5.30 p.m. 2) Pre-Bid meeting Date : 24-02-2023 at 11.00 a.m. 3) Opening of Technical Bid Date : 02-03-2023 at 11.00 a.m. 3) Opening of Financial Bid Date : After approval of Technical Bid.

Note : More details can be obtained through **website http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in** or contact the below signed Office during the office hours. **Phone no : 08354 - 235 042.**

Sd/- Executive Engineer,
P.R.E. Division, Bagalkote.

DIPR/Bagalkote/913/Manipal/2022-23

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(A Govt. of Karnataka Undertaking)
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Date: 16.02.2023

INVITATION FOR TENDER

Jungle Lodges and Resorts Ltd., (JLR) invitation for expression of interest for supply of Linen Items and Crockery Items to JLR Units. The details of tender documents are available in the website: **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Tender No.	Description	EMD Amount in Rs	Last Date & time for receipt of tenders
JLRL/2022-23/Linen, IND/77	Supply of Linen Items	Rs.1,00,000/-	**07.03.2023, 16.00 hrs.**
JLRL/2022-23/ Crockery/IND/78	Supply of Crockery Items	Rs.1,00,000/-	**07.03.2023, 16.00 hrs.**

For any further clarification contact + 91-80 23010900/01, +91 80 38013000 and e-Mail Support: **hphelpdesk.blr@intarvo.com**

Sd/- Senior General Manager

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THE BHAVASARA KSHATRIYACO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

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AUCTION SALE NOTICE

NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY ISSUED UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT 2002

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of The Bhavasara Kshatriya Co-Operative Bank Limited Bangalore had taken possession of the house properties described hereunder mortgaged to the Bank by way of security for repayment of immovable Property Loan availed by the respective borrowers mentioned here below, Notice of Auction of the secured assets is hereby given to the borrowers in particular and the public in general, under Rules 8 & 9 of Security interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Details of the borrower, property, reserve price, etc, are as below

Sl No.	Borrower/s Name Branch Name	Property Address	Reserve Price & Amount Due to Bank	Public Auction Date, Time & Place
	BASAVANAGUDI BRANCH			
1	1.Sri.D.Srinivasan, 2.Sri.D.S.Bharath, No.26, 1st Cross, 16th Main, N S Palya, Mahadeshwara Nagar, B T M 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560 076.	No.26, 1st Cross, Rastrakavi Kuvempu Nagar, Bengaluru, PID No.65-311-26, Measuring: East to West : 25 feet, North to South : 40 feet Bounded on the: East by : Site No.45, West by : Road, North by : Private Property, South by : Road.	Reserve Price Rs.1,23,14,000.00 Amount Due as on 24.03.2023 Rs.50,28,722/-	24.03.2023, 11.30 am at No.26, 1st Cross, Rastrakavi Kuvempu Nagar, Bengaluru,

Place of Auction: At the places mentioned in column no. 5
Date of Auction: As per details in column No.5 above and 'AS IS WHERE IS CONDITION'

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1. To participate in the Auction, the intending bidders have to deposit a sum of Rs.25000-00 by way of DD as EMD favoring The Bhavasara Kshatriya Co-Operative Bank Limited, Bengalore payable at Bangelore on the date of Auction before 10.30am.
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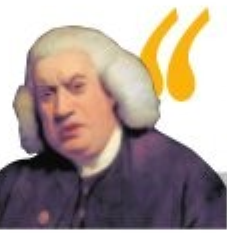
3. All other liabilities charges and expenses like legal charges, stamp duty, registration fee/cost etc. shall be borne by the purchaser only.
4. On receipt of the entire bid amount and on confirmation of sale the undersinged shall issue a Certificate of Sale in favor of the purchaser in the form given in the aforesaid Act.
5. The deposit of the unsuccessful bidders would be returned without interest immediately on conclusion of the Auction.
6. The Undesigned shall have powers to include or exclude or accept or reject bids or postpone/ cancel the Auction without assigning any reason thereof including addition or deletion of other terms.
7. For inspection of the property and other particulars the intending bidders may contact the undersigned at Head Office during office hours between 10.00 AM and 5.00PM.
8. For further details contact The Assistant Manager of the Bank.

Place: Bengaluru
Date: 17.02.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The Bhavasara Kshatriya Co-operative Bank Ltd.,
Bengaluru

EDITORIAL



I never desire to converse with a man who has written more than he has read

Samuel Johnson

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— **Ramnath Goenka**

EARLY TEST FINISHES ARE A SIGN OF THE THINGS TO COME

There is no doubt that India is playing well. Going by the results of the last two Tests, the travelling Australians are not equipped to play red-ball cricket in India—mentally and technically. There is another side to the wins. Both Tests ended within three full days. Thousands of miles away in New Zealand, England thrashed the hosts in less than four days in different conditions and a new brand of cricket—called Bazball, where hitting and scoring runs are preferred weapons of choice.

In the last 10 Test matches featuring the top five teams as per the ICC rankings, only three have entered the fifth day—all three were on Pakistan's flat tracks. Four of the remaining Tests ended in four days, two in three days and a Test match between South Africa and Australia ended in just two days. From an Indian point of view, in their last 10 Tests, played across Bangladesh, India, England and South Africa, four games ended in three days, three went to day four, and only three Tests stretched to five days. Though results are good, many games finishing well within the allotted time could be a sign of the times.

While conditions largely dictate whether or not a Test match goes into the final day, it also has to do with the quality of the bowling attack. India has the best spin attack in R Ashwin and Ravindra Jadeja. In Tests, home conditions are critical too. It's a no-brainer that conditions favour seamers in England or New Zealand, where batters from the subcontinent struggle. Others struggle on slow and spinning surfaces in the subcontinent, especially in India. Earlier, teams would decry pitches considered abominable, almost a minefield. Each nation plays to its strength and tries to win a test. This has to do with introducing the World Test Championships and points. The technique and temperament of batters have changed too. With more lucrative T20 leagues, players are more adept at playing offensive than defensive shots and take more risks.

Fierce debates have been over reducing Tests to four days, but purists and believers scorn the idea. The introduction of day and night cricket, too, has complicated things. There are technical issues like readjusting records of five-day Tests. Still, it is prudent for all stakeholders to come together and find out a more plausible solution for cricket and its die-hard fans.

PHYSICAL, MENTAL CHECKS A MUST FOR POLICE RANKS

Odisha Police's move to launch an annual medical test for its rank and file is most welcome, though the awakening has come after the brutal murder of a minister by a serving assistant sub-inspector. It is nothing short of incredulous that there did not exist, in the first place, a periodic health check-up mechanism for a 60,000-strong force that deals with one of the most stressful jobs requiring physical fitness and mental well-being in equal measures.

According to the Bureau of Police Research and Development (BPRD) data, Odisha has approximately 147 police personnel in place for a population of one lakh towards the upkeep of law and order, crime control, investigation and other associated services that the force delivers, which is way too low compared to what some of the large states like Andhra Pradesh, Maharashtra and UP deploy. For civil police, the figure drops to a measly 71 per one lakh people. Given their work's demanding nature and environment, the cops deserve better, and it is not difficult to understand why most grow unfit and develop fatigue as they age. Indeed, this is not a good sign. However, the daylight murder of Naba Kishore Das seems to have changed a few things. The state police are now working on a proposal to make annual health assessments of its personnel mandatory.

While it is a good call, more than a piecemeal approach is needed. It is only in the fitness of things to review the whole recruitment and service period system afresh. In the current structure, recruitment at various levels does not involve an aptitude test, nor does it seek psychological evaluation of the recruits—only physical fitness is part of the qualification matrix. Once deployed post-training, the police personnel barely go through any periodic evaluation, neither physical fitness nor mental health. Men in uniform have a fitness mandate for a specific reason, but at present, only the all-India service officers are entitled to an annual medical check-up at empanelled hospitals which mostly are corporate facilities. But for the rest, barring the armed police units, it simply does not exist.

The state police, therefore, must draw up a comprehensive plan that mandates as well as facilitates—from the bottom to the senior police levels—a compulsory physical fitness and mental health mechanism which would serve the force well and improve productivity.

QUICK TAKE

SPECIALIST TRIBUNAL HEADS

During a recent hearing, Justice Sanjay Kishan Kaul of the Supreme Court observed that tribunals in India had become a 'haven' for retired bureaucrats and judges. Specialists must head them, he said. Tribunals deal with specific subjects, and it is beneficial if the chairs also have domain expertise along with legal acumen. Otherwise, they will take time to come to grips with the intricacies the cases throw up. Given the levels of super-specialisation today, the judiciary may want to explore the idea of niche judicial services which can oversee the appointment of expert judicial officers to head the specialised tribunals.

That a private aviation deal can boost western economies is an important waypoint in India's rise in stature

GEOPOLITICS BEYOND THE MEGA DEAL

LT GEN SYED ATA HASNAIN (RETD)

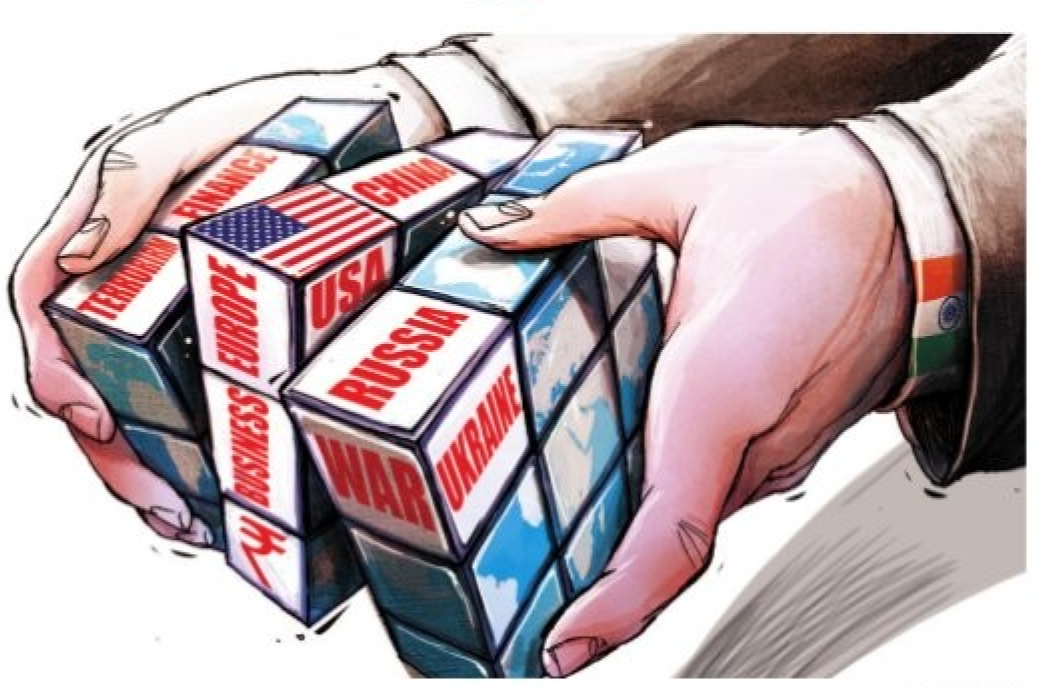
Former Commander, Srinagar-based 15 Corps. Now Chancellor, Central University

I recall that in one of the worst years in India's existence as a nation—1991, it was forced to negotiate a $2.2 billion loan after pledging 67 tons of gold reserves as collateral security to the IMF so that we could tide over the acute balance of payments crisis. Things appear to have come full circle in 32 years. The just-concluded 470 aircraft deal signed by Tata's Air India, the biggest in aviation history, involving an estimated $85 billion, is creating a surge of excitement in Washington, Paris and London. US President Joe Biden even thanked PM Narendra Modi for the deal, saying a million jobs would be created across 44 states. While the deal could lead to a transformed commercial aviation sector in India in the next few years, much like the Emirates model of the UAE, the international ramifications of the deal at such a crucial juncture cannot be ignored. The connectors are too strong to miss, and they lie in the field of geopolitics.

The excitement should actually be felt more in the geopolitical domain, which is currently in great flux. The Covid-19 pandemic was a watershed period in which the power of nations enhanced and dwindled unexpectedly. Global terror appeared to take a backstep, and the big powers were hesitant about the next steps due to inherent uncertainty in the world economy. While the Middle East caused a temporary stabilisation due to the measures undertaken to sign the Abraham Accords, most other conflict zones remained quiet.

The exception was China which attempted its strategy of wolf warrior diplomacy to gain some unexplained strategic advantage, which it failed to derive. The uncertainty somehow appeared to play to the nation's advantage when it became clear that the Indian economy was bouncing back and recovery, to a large extent, was appearing guaranteed, the enhanced Chinese threat notwithstanding. The Russia-Ukraine war only added more complexity, especially for nations such as India, whose policy of interest-based strategic autonomy initially proved to be more of a challenge but progressively has won many brownie points on the international stage.

The surge in India's strategic significance commenced with Prime Minister Narendra Modi's famous advice to the Russian president to end the conflict in Ukraine, saying, "Today's era is not of war", even as he called for finding ways to address the global food and energy security crisis. This moment, at a meeting on the sidelines of the SCO Summit in Tashkent, catapulted Modi and India to a strategic stature rarely seen before. India's ability to meander the course between Moscow and Washington had already been established to some extent by the resistance to attempts to scuttle the $5 billion S-400 deal. India stayed the course and the CAATSA legislation was never applied to it. It needed the world's finest air defence system produced by the Russians but also many elements of US defence and other technologies.



SOUMYADIP SINHA

The US would gnash its teeth over the Indian energy purchases from Russia in defiance of all sanctions, the one major contribution in keeping the Russian economy afloat. It was rationally defended by External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar when he stated that Europe had imported six times more fossil fuel from Russia than India had since February 2022.

The mega Air India deal does not reflect just the growing Indian strategic stature. Two very high-powered visits almost six months apart have added their due share. Jaishankar's 10-day stay in the US post the SCO summit weighed in substantially on the interest triggered in the West by PM Modi's statement at Tashkent. His visit was officially to enable a high-level review of the multifaceted bilateral agenda and strengthen cooperation on regional and global issues to consolidate the India-US strategic partnership further. However, Jaishankar skillfully utilised this opportunity to project India's interest-based approach to Ukraine, and it changed nothing as far as Indo-US interests were concerned. There was a momentary setback when the US returned to supporting Pakistan after a review of its Afghanistan policy. It was perceived as something against Indian interests, but only. Interestingly, this almost worked like a tradeoff. India objected to US support to Pakistan while the US protested Indian support to Russia; almost a quid pro quo. India and the US realised the futility of pulling back from the huge progress already made in their strategic relationship and the common understanding of mutual threats.

That is what saw NSA Ajit Doval in Washington in the second fortnight of January 2023 for the first high-level dialogue on the Initiative for Critical and Emerging Technologies (iCET). With China as the common adversary, India is aware that it cannot delay technology absorption and that the only way to reach a much higher technological threshold is through a partnership with the US. Much depends here on trust and willingness to play ball with US demands. India has successfully engaged with the US at a parent-to-parent level, but to give this a fillip, it will have to prove its strategic credentials a little more forcefully.

Perhaps it is with the above in mind that NSA Ajit Doval drew his route back to India via Moscow. Such strategic balancing between the hottest capitals has not been witnessed for long. The NSA's agenda was attending a multilateral meeting on Afghanistan, with China, Iran and Central Asian states also participating. India's interests in Afghanistan cannot be compromised since a return to global terror is ominously predicted for the near future. The fact that the Indian economy is doing fundamentally well and a private aviation deal of such proportions can boost western economies is an important waypoint in India's rise in stature.

In 2023 India chairs G-20 even as it remains politically neutral in the Russia-Ukraine tangle. A couple of unsmart moves could compromise the strategic boost, and that is where the challenge lies. So much will depend on the outcome of the Russia-Ukraine war that scenario building is something Indian strategic think tanks need to consider. While doing so, India must continue to follow the outstanding policy of neutrality it has effectively adopted. With all other things in its favour it should quietly seek a mediation role with which it can further boost its international image.

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HINDENBURG EFFECT ON THE FUTURE OF ADANI STOCKS: PART I

ALAM SRINIVAS

Independent journalist and author

Hindenburg! Every Indian knows this name today. A report (January 24, 2023) by Hindenburg Research, which "specialises in forensic financial research", decimated the nine Adani stocks within weeks. Ironically, the name stems from a tragedy—in 1937, the Hindenburg balloon airship caught fire, and 35 of the 97 crew and passengers died. Hindenburg Research claims, "We look for similar man-made disasters floating around in the (stock) market and aim to shed light on them before they lure in more unsuspecting victims."

The research firm investigates stocks that are overvalued due to inept management, cooked-up financials, and share price manipulations. It rolls out "impactful research results" based on "hard-to-find information from atypical sources". Before this, it takes a market position to benefit from a slide in share prices. Thanks to Hindenburg, Gautam Adani, once the world's third richest person, saw his personal wealth erode by more than half, and ranking slip to 24 (Forbes List on February 15, 2023), even as the nine stocks in his ports-to-power empire lost more than $120 billion within weeks.

Everyone has one question in mind: What are the fair prices of Adani stocks? Is Adani Enterprises, the group's parent, worth ₹3,436.35 a share, its closing price on January 23, 2023, or less than ₹100? In its report, Hindenburg claimed that Adani Enterprises was valued at over 500 times its earnings, compared to industry average of 12 times and, hence, had a downside of 97.58%. The real worth of the stock was lower by this percentage, or below ₹100. This was true for Adani Total Gas (downside: -97.64%), Adani Green Energy (-97.1%), Adani Ports (-93.26%) and Adani Transmission (-92.43%).

In a blog (February 4, 2023), Aswath Damodaran, who teaches corporate finance and valuation at New York University, was less pessimistic. He wrote that "a valuation of Adani Enterprises with upbeat assumptions … and without factoring any of the Hindenburg accusations of fraud and malfeasance, yields a value of just ₹945 per share". However, the optimists contend that the price can still rebound to ₹3,000 or above by end-2023.

What happens to Adani stocks in the near future will depend on how often the short sellers like Hindenburg attack them. Short sellers sell in waves. The initial phase is over within days or weeks. Since they normally don't own the shares, their strategy is akin to borrowing an asset, selling at a high price, and buying back at a lower one before returning it. Consider what happened to Adani Enterprises between January 23, 2023, and February 8, 2023, or 12 trading days, excluding holidays.

On January 23, the day before the Hindenburg report, more than 19 million shares, way above the daily average, were traded. It marked the beginning of the bear attack. The selling pressure intensified on January 25 and January 27, when daily volumes touched nearly 44 million. From 34.5 million on January 30, the daily trades hovered between 11.6 million and 21 million over the next four sessions (January 31–February 3). The assault eased by February 6, or the tenth trading day, as daily volumes dropped below 4 million, followed by less than a million on February 8.

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Adani Enterprises' stock price tumbled from ₹3,436.35 (January 23) to ₹1,572.7 (February 6). It recovered to ₹2,164.25 by February 8. Most short sellers began to exit by February 1, when the price tumbled from ₹2,995 to ₹2,135.35 during the day. Others were out later, beginning February 3, when the stock reached a 52-week low of ₹1,017.45 during intraday trade. From the highest intraday level (₹3,508 on January 24) to the lowest one, the downside was 71%, a landslide but lower than the predicted loss of 97.58%.

Most stocks targeted by Hindenburg lose values within days. PureCycle Technologies crashed from almost $26 on April 30, 2021, just before the Hindenburg report (May 6, 2021), to $12.43 on May 14, 2021. Tecnoglass was down from almost $32 on December 3, 2021, to below $19 on December 10, 2021, a day after the research firm's report. But, subsequently, the two stocks behaved in radically different ways. Tecnoglass bounced back to above $35 (February 3, 2023), after reaching a low of $17.42 (June 17, 2022). Twitter, which was attacked by Hindenburg in May 2022, showed a similar down-up trend.

PureCycle remained busted; its 52-week low is now just over $5, with a 52-week high of below $11. Yet another example: DraftKings, which quoted over $53 on June 11, 2021, days before the Hindenburg report (June 15, 2021), dropped to below $44 on July 16, 2021, recovered to $62.46 by September 10, 2021, and slumped to a low of $11.39 on December 30, 2022. Among the giants that Hindenburg took on, Nikola's stock walloped from $35.55 on September 4, 2020, six days before the former's report, to $2.51 on February 13, 2023.

The difference between the duds and those who finally triumph depends on policy makers, regulators, courts and media. If there are immediate follow-ups, CEOs resign, criminal links are exposed in some cases, and stocks tank. One isn't sure about Adani. In his Parliament speech, Prime Minister Narendra Modi didn't mention Adani. State-owned investors and lenders with exposure to Adani Group continue to support it. The government agreed to form a panel, only to study the fall in share prices, and gaps in regulatory mechanisms. Will it investigate Adani or Hindenburg, or both?

But Moody's downgraded its outlook for a few Adani firms. MSCI may reduce the weightages of four Adani stocks in its global stock index. The reason: free floats, or shares held widely by investors, were lower than its previous estimates. On March 31, 2022, Adani Enterprises had 226,071 shareholders. Of these, 595, including promoters (almost 75%) and large institutional investors, owned 98.47% of the stock. It implies that the latter group, with small trades, can hugely influence the stock. On February 8, 2023, less than a million shares were enough to hike its price by 20%. Good news for the optimists?

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Interesting *Jataka* tale

Apropos of *A monk, his madhupayasa, and the worm of jealousy* (Feb 20). Renuka Narayanan has beautifully illustrated the doctrine of karma and rebirth through an interesting *Jataka* tale. The village monk had to take thousands of births for wasting food out of sheer jealousy. Such stories are a must to make people refrain from sinful deeds.

Nataraja Perumal, email

Jealousy is toxic

Apropos of *A monk, his madhupayasa, and the worm of jealousy* (Feb 20). Jealousy is the worst thing in one's life. Duryodhana, jealous of the Pandavas, paved the way for the Kurukshetra war.

G Purushothaman, Tirunelveli

Pakistan in doldrums

With reference to *The bluff and bluster of a bankrupt nation* (Feb 20), it is a mystery how Pakistani citizens tolerate a prime minister who believes provoking a neighbouring nation is the top priority instead of nursing his own state which is in abject misery. The Pakistan PM's "learnt the lessons of wars" was no more than momentary remorse to evoke sympathy. Here's a nation that would not desist from terrorism even in times of penury.

Sanath Kumar T S, Thrissur

Neighbour heading south

Kudos to A Surya Prakash for exposing Pakistan PM's double talk in a pellucid way. Within a month of his confession that Pakistan learned hard lessons from multiple wars with India, PM Shehbaz Sharif vaingloriously boasted of the nuclear weapons at his disposal. When pragmatism is overpowered by arrogance, the outcome will be disastrous, and that is what Pakistan seems to be heading towards.

Venkat Desikan, Chennai

Assessing poverty

Apropos of *Invisibilising the poor* (Feb 20). The method adopted to count the people in poverty is highly questionable. It doesn't give a proper report of the post-pandemic effect and fails to explain why such a huge population is still being given food and housing facilities by the government. The authorities should conduct the assessment in a proper manner so that the actual people suffering from poverty can be identified and efforts can be taken to do something about it.

Vidhi Agarwal, Bengaluru

Victory for India

This refers to *Visitors swept aside* (Feb 20). Yet again, the Australian Cricket team fell like a pack of cards, thanks to the Indian spin duo of Ravindra Jadeja and R Ashwin. India has added yet another feather to its colourful cap. Well done Indian boys!

R Sampath, email

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Priyanka Chaturvedi @priyankac19
With exit of these rebels (Uddhav faction), the party (Shiv Sena) has been purged of people who lack stomach to fight growing authoritarianism of BJP

Jignesh Mevani @jigneshmevani80
Hargovan Parmar was fatally attacked a year ago. Police did not take any action. Last week he wrote to SC/ST cell that he will be killed, still no hearing

Neiphiu Rio @Neiphiu_Rio
Participated in NDPP—BJP joint meeting in Mon. An honour to have Shri@AmitShah Ji showing commitment to our alliance & energizing the poll campaign

‘Priority to local languages is a game-changer’

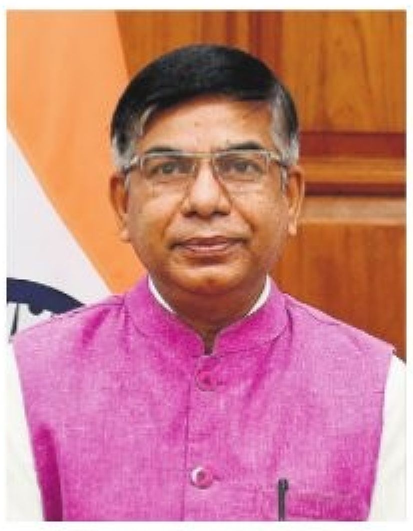
Under NEP 2020, medium will be mother tongue until at least grade 5, but preferably till grade 8: MoS for Education

MINISTER of State for Education **Dr Subhas Sarkar** says the highest-ever education budget shows the vision of Prime Minister Narendra Modi to see India as a global leader by focusing on making the education system more inclusive, accessible, and equitable for all students. Speaking with **Kavita Bajeli-Datt**, the minister, who was an obstetrician and gynaecologist, talks about his ministry’s initiatives, G20, and his focus on education in local languages, which he said is a game-changer.
Excerpts:

The education budget has got the highest allocation of all time. What does this mean for the ministry?
Under the visionary leadership of our Prime Minister Narendra Modi, the ministry has been given the highest budget allocation ever. Last year, the budget allocation crossed ₹1 lakh crore and this year it has reached ₹1.12 lakh crore, which is a milestone and I would say a quantum jump in the budget allocation. This shows that this government’s vision is to make India a global leader in education by focusing on making the system more inclusive, accessible, and equitable for all students. The increased budget allocation will help in improving educational standards.

What progress has been made in providing medical, technical, engineering and legal education in mother tongue or local languages?
National Education Policy (NEP) 2020 has made various stipulations for the promotion of regional languages. Wherever possible, the medium of instruction will be the mother tongue until at least grade 5, but preferably till grade 8 and beyond. High-quality textbooks, including science, are available in the mother tongue. In cases where mother tongue textbook material is unavailable, the language of the transaction between teachers and students will remain the mother tongue wherever possible. The All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) launched outcome-based educational books for Marathi language diploma and undergraduate engineering courses. Engineering books in the Marathi language were released under my supervision. AICTE has taken the initiative of making engineering books available in Indian languages. Giving priority to local languages in the NEP 2020 manifests our commitment to all regional languages.

We consider Indian languages the soul of ‘Bharatiyata’ and the link to a better future. It will prove to be a game changer in the Indian education system.



The Indian Knowledge System (IKS) has a 20 per cent increase in the Union Budget. What is the vision of the government?
The IKS is one of our government’s important focus areas and an increased budget towards IKS shows our commitment to reaching the length and breadth of our country. To date, AICTE has permitted 41 engineering courses across ten states in 8 regional languages; the MBBS course has started in Hindi; Common University Entrance Test (CUET) was conducted in 13 languages and participated by 90 universities. Also, JEE (mains) and NEET (UG) are in 13 languages involving more than 30 lakh students. Provisions of awarding a minor degree to students who complete 18 to 20 credits in IKS have been made.

We have funded 36 high-end interdisciplinary research projects, established 25 IKS centres and 64 high-end multidisciplinary research projects. Around 2,000 internships at IKS have been offered. Also, more than 8000 higher educational institutions (HEIs) have started adopting IKS into their curriculum and the digitization of 1.5 lakh books has taken place.

What is in the pipeline for the higher education sector?
The government has been putting consistent efforts to promote spending and quality of Research & Development (R&D) in the country. In absolute terms, India’s gross expenditure on R&D (GERD) has continuously increased and has grown thrice in the last few years. The Department of Higher Education and other ministries and research departments are implementing various schemes for promoting R&D in the HEIs.

Further, the HEIs are encouraged to collaborate with the private sector, alumni organisations, entrepreneurship and start-ups to augment research efforts. With their strong track record and infrastructure in MedTech innovation, IIT-Kanpur and IISc Bangalore are working in this area. IIT Kanpur is establishing a one-of-its-kind School of Medical Research and Technology (SMRT) to bring a paradigm shift towards medical research and innovation in the country. IISc has pioneered research and education in science and engineering for more than a century. As a third dimension, they are now establishing a postgraduate medical school and a multi-specialty hospital on campus. The establishment of R&D cell in HEIs will enable the attainment of targets of Atmanirbhar Bharat and is expected to play a pivotal role in catalyzing multidisciplinary/transdisciplinary and translational research culture.

Verbatim

Teaching positions in premier institutes like IITs, IIMs, Central Universities and even in KVS and JNV are lying vacant. How does the ministry plan to fill them?
Vacancies keep arising because of retirement, promotion, resignation and up-gradation. Navodaya Vidyalaya Samiti has already been notified to fill up 2,887 (including anticipated vacancies) posts of teachers on a direct and promotion basis.

However, to protect the student’s academic interests, teachers are engaged on a short-term contractual basis against the vacant posts, if any, until the regular teachers are recruited. The computer-based test is over, and interviews are scheduled for February/March. The final list will be ready by April. Filling up vacancies is a continuous process and efforts are made to fill up the vacancies as per the provisions of the relevant recruitment rules.

What are the priorities for the G-20 education meet?
The education working group (EdWG) under G-20, India, holding the presidency this year, aims to work together with G20 members and guest countries, and international organizations to bridge gaps in quality education and skilling.

The Centre’s focus will be on ensuring foundational literacy and numeracy, especially in the context of blended learning, making tech-enabled learning more inclusive, qualitative and collaborative at every level, building capacities, promoting life-long learning in the context of the future of work and strengthening research, promoting innovation through more prosperous collaborations and partnerships.

German chancellor Olaf Scholz to visit India this weekend

YESHI SELI @New Delhi

GERMAN Chancellor **Olaf Scholz** will pay a state visit to India on February 25 and 26, his first trip to the country more than a year after he took charge as Chancellor.

The German Chancellor will be accompanied by senior government officials and a high powered business delegation, according to the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA).

He will be in Delhi on February 25th and then go to Bengaluru on 26th of February.

He is scheduled to arrive in Delhi on February 25 and will proceed to Bengaluru on February 26, the MEA said.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Chancellor Scholz will hold discussions on bilateral, regional and global issues. “Chancellor Scholz’s visit to the country will enable both sides to take stock and progress on the key outcomes of the 6th IGC, strengthen security and defence cooperation, work towards closer economic ties, enhance opportunity for mobility of talent and give strategic guidance to ongoing collaboration in science and technology,” the MEA said.

At the Munich Security Conference, Chancellor Scholz also quoted Indian External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar and said, “Eupore has to get out of the mindset that Europe’s problems are the world’s problems, but the world’s problems are not Europe’s problems — this quote from the Indian Foreign Minister is included in this year’s Munich Security Report and he has a point. It wouldn’t be Europe’s problem alone if the law of the strong were to assert itself in international relations.”

PM Modi and Chancellor Scholz will also interact with CEOs and business leaders from both sides.

“This is the first standalone visit of a German Chancellor to India since the biennial Inter-Governmental Consultation (IGC) mechanism commenced in 2011, which is a whole-of-government framework under which ministers from both countries hold discussions in their respective areas of responsibility and report on the outcome of discussions to the Prime Minister and Chancellor,” the MEA said in a statement.

Uddhav moves SC, says disband EC as ‘order on party symbol erroneous’

SHRUTI KAKKAR & SUDHIR SURYAWANSHI @ New Delhi/Mumbai

THE Uddhav Thackeray faction on Monday moved the Supreme Court challenging the decision of the Election Commission recognising the Eknath Shinde-led group as the real Shiv Sena and allotting the ‘bow and arrow’ poll symbol to it.

Senior advocate Abhishek Manu Singhvi mentioned the matter before a bench headed by Chief Justice DY Chandrachud for an early listing. The CJI, however, refused to pass any order. “Sorry, Mr Singhvi. You have to come under the mentioning list. The rule is applicable to all,” said the CJI. Terming ECI’s order as tainted and erroneous, Uddhav’s plea while seeking a stay stated that the poll body acted in a manner that undermines its constitutional status.

It was also contended that the ECI erred in holding that there is a split in the party. “The election commission has failed to appreciate that the Uddhav faction enjoys overwhelming support in the rank and party’s file,” said Singhvi.

“The test of legislative majority adopted by the election commission could not have been applied at all in view of the fact that the disqualification proceedings were pending against the legislators supporting the respondent,” said the plea by Uddhav.

“If in the disqualification proceedings, the legislators are held to be disqualified, then there is no question of them forming a majority. Thus, the basis of the impugned order itself is constitutionally suspect,” Uddhav’s plea said.

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>
> Uddhav Thackeray, ex-Maharashtra CM

In Mumbai, Uddhav Thackeray said the present ECI should be abolished and that there should be elections for the ECI members.

Uddhav said that ECI has hurriedly passed its order giving party name and symbol to Eknath Shinde faction because they wanted to mess up the legal battle going on in the Supreme Court. “If the SC passes the judgment of disqualifying the 16 rebelled Shiv Sena MLAs, then what meaning will the ECI order carry? One after another institution is losing their credibility. The 2024 Lok Sabha elections will be the last elections. People will have to come forward to protect democracy,” said Uddhav.

The former Maharashtra CM alleged that with the ECI help, the Shinde faction had stolen the Shiv Sena as the party’s name, and ‘bow and arrow’ symbol.

“There is a conspiracy to finish off Shiv Sena. My father Balasaheb Thackeray who founded the party was always at the forefront to protect the top leadership of the BJP when they were in trouble. Now, in return, what have we got? But people of this country are supreme, they will teach BJP a lesson in the coming elections,” said Uddhav.

Godhra train burning convicts not eligible for early release: Guj govt

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Gujarat government on Monday told the Supreme Court that convicts in the 2002 Godhra train burning case were not eligible for premature release. The state’s submission was made by SG Tushar Mehta before the bench of CJI DY Chandrachud, Justices PS Narasimha and JB Pardiwala.

“Convicts do not qualify for premature release as TADA provisions had been invoked against them,” said SG Mehta pursuant to CJI’s query whether the convicts are eligible under the state’s premature release policy.

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> Tushar Mehta, Solicitor General

Opposing their appeal, Mehta also told the bench that the case fell into the category of “rarest of rare” since it involved the death of 59 people.

“This is the case where 59 people were burnt alive. It is consistent that the (train) bogey was locked from outside. Those who died included women and children. See the first convict who has challenged the sentence. He was identified in Test Identification Parade. He was hurling stones with the motive of not letting passengers come out” said Mehta.

“The second,” said Mehta, his role is also clear. In the third convict’s case, the distinction is that a deadly weapon was found on him. The fourth one played an active role in hatching the conspiracy. He purchased petrol, stored petrol, and used it for the purpose of burning. We will be pressing that this is the rarest of rare cases- 59 people died,” Mehta further said.

Considering Mehta’s contention, the bench while directing the applicants and state‘s counsel to prepare a chart of the accused with relevant details posted the pleas after three weeks. The court’s order was passed while dealing with a plea against the Gujarat HC’s 2017 verdict that had appraised the conviction of the convicts. The HC had recently commuted the death sentences.

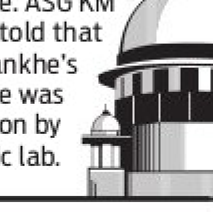
ALSO IN TOP COURT

States get breather in Kaali filmmaker’s plea

The Supreme Court on Monday granted states of MP and Uttarakhand three weeks to file their response in plea by Filmmaker Leena Manimekalai against FIRs registered in various states for depicting Hindu Goddess Kaali smoking a cigarette in a poster of her film “Kaali”. While granting states the time, the bench of CJI DY Chandrachud indicated for consolidating all the FIRs by sending them to one HC. The court noted that institution of FIRs would cause serious prejudice to the petitioner.

‘Probe on right track in hate speech case’

Delhi Police has informed the SC that investigation in the hate speech case over the Hindu Yuva Vahini event held under the leadership of Sudarshan News TV editor Suresh Chavhanke in Delhi in December 2021 is at an advanced stage. ASG KM Nataraj also told that report of Chavankhe's voice sample was expected soon by forensic lab.



‘Not everything said amounts to hate’

The SC has remarked that it while interpreting section 153A of IPC which considers promoting enmity on ground of religion said will have to be bear in mind that everything said will not amount to hate speech. The bench also referred to its recent decision of staying trial against Delhi CM in a case for making objectionable remarks.

Uniform age of marriage: SC bins plea

Supreme Court on Monday while refusing to entertain a plea seeking increase in of age of marriage for women to 21 years remarked that striking down the existing provision will result in no age for marriage for women. Currently, men in India as per the provisions of the Hindu Marriage Act are permitted to marry at the age of 21 while the marriageable age for women is 18 years. A CJI-led bench while binning the plea said that it cannot issue a mandamus to the Parliament to legislate. Slamming BJP leader Ashwini Upadhyay for attempting to further persuade the bench irrespective of it passing an order of dismissal, the CJI said, “Mr Upadhyay, don't make a mockery of Article 32.”

Phased thinout of troops from Kashmir planned

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @New Delhi

THE government plans to bring the presence of the Indian Army from the hinterland of the Kashmir Valley and the process will be implemented in a phased manner. The plan, as per the media reports, is being mooted keeping the decrease in the terrorist related incidents, the success of the ceasefire agreement along the Line of Control and the change in overall security scenario.

The reports highlight that the Ministries of Defence and Home along with the Armed Forces and the Jammu and Kashmir Police are in an advanced stage of discussion to carry out the withdrawal. The Plan is to deploy the Central Reserve Police Force (CRPF) in place of the Rashtriya Rifles (RR) of the Army to look after the security situation including the law and order and the counter terror duties.

As reported, “The matter is under serious discussion at inter-ministerial level and it is understood to be feasible. In a way, the decision has been taken and it is a matter of when it will be done. Ultimately, however, it will be a political call,” told a senior officer in the security establishment.

There are around 45,000 Indian Army soldiers as part of the 63 Units of the Rashtriya Rifles, raised in the 1990s, deployed in Kashmir at present as Counter Terrorism Force.

9 Indian states among top 50 regions face climate change risk

S V KRISHNA CHAITANYA @ Chennai

NINE states in India, including Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, Tamil Nadu and Maharashtra, are among the top 50 regions in the world facing a high risk of damage to the built environment due to climate change hazards, according to the new report released on Monday.

The report titled “Gross Domestic Climate Risk” assessed the physical climate risk in over 2,600 states and provinces around the world in 2050. The more built-up a state, the greater the risk. The report is from Australia-based Cross Dependency Initiative or XDI, which is a part of the climate risk group of companies quantifying the costs of climate change.

The ranking was derived using modelled projections of damage to buildings and properties from extreme weather conditions such as flooding, forest fires and sea level rise.

As per the analysis, 80% of the top 50 most at-risk states and provinces in 2050 are in China, US and India. After China, India has the highest number of states (nine) in the top 50, which include Bihar (22nd spot), Uttar Pradesh (25), Assam (28), Rajasthan (32), Tamil Nadu (36), Maharashtra (38), Gujarat (48), Punjab (50) and Kerala (52), it said.

In a response to this correspondent via e-mail, Georgina Woods, head of impact for XDI and The Climate Risk Group, said: “The results of this analysis show that there is no safe harbour from climate change physical risk. Major economic hubs globally, including many economically crucial states in India, rank in the top 100 territories globally for damage risk in 2050 according to our modelling. Together, China, India and the United States have the most states and provinces at the top of the list for damage risk.”

XDI claimed this is the first time there has been a physical climate risk analysis focused exclusively on the built environment, comparing every state, province and territory in the world. The report is particularly significant for investors, as extensive built infrastructure generally overlaps with high levels of economic activity and capital value, XDI said.

“This analysis underscores the importance of pricing physical risk of climate change in finance markets, of finance for global adaptation and of cooperation to prevent the worst of this damage from coming to pass,” Woods told TNIE.

XDI CEO Rohan Hamden said Asia has the most to lose as climate change extreme weather increases, and the most to gain from preventing worsening climate change and accelerating climate resilient investment. “This is the most sophisticated global analysis of physical climate risk to date. Now, for the first time, the finance industry can directly compare Mumbai, New York and Berlin using a like-for-like methodology,” he said.

How Indian states figure globally

State	Global position
Bihar	22
Uttar Pradesh	25
Assam	28
Rajasthan	32
Tamil Nadu	36
Maharastra	38
Gujarat	44
Punjab	48
Kerala	50
Madhya Pradesh	52

TRAINS CANCELLED

The South Eastern Railway has cancelled express and passenger trains connecting West Bengal, Odisha and north-eastern states with Hyderabad, Bengaluru for development work. At least 57 such trains will not run.

02 COPS KILLED IN NAXAL ATTACK ON C'GARH-MAHA BORDER

Ahmedabad	35	18	Mumbai	34	23
Bhopal	35	16	Panaji	30	22
Jaipur	32	19	Patna	33	19
Amritsar	28	12	Lucknow	33	17
Chennai	31	24	Port Blair	31	24
Kolkata	34	24	Imphal	29	11
Srinagar	14	0	Chandigarh	30	15

Kushwaha quits JDU, floats new party, targets Nitish

RAMASHANKAR @ Patna

REBEL senior JD (U) leader and the party's parliamentary board chairman Upendra Kushwaha on Monday announced that he will form his own party as he launched an attack on chief minister Nitish Kumar by accusing him of sacrificing the interest of the party by declaring his deputy and RJD leader Tejashwi Yadav as his political successor.

While announcing his resignation from the primary membership of JD (U), Kushwaha told media persons that his new party would be named Rashtriya Lok Janata Dal (RLJD) and said that he would also resign as an MLC. Kushwaha took the decision to snap ties with JD (U) for the third time after a two-day meeting of his supporters and dedicated workers in Sinha Library in Patna.

Although Kushwaha did not name Tejashwi in the press meet, the former's relationship started souring after Nitish declared on December 13 last year that the grand alliance would contest the 2025 state assembly election under his (Tejashwi's) leadership.

Luv-Kush combination constitutes nearly 10% of the state's population. On the possibility of his joining hands with BJP as being claimed by Nitish and senior JD (U) leaders, Kushwaha said, "I have learnt a lot from my elder brother (Nitish)."

Meanwhile, JD (U) president Lalan Singh hit back at Kushwaha by saying he had the habit of changing his party. Singh also extended his well wishes to him and hoped that he would stay with them (BJP) where he intended to go. JD (U) president, however, created a political storm by asserting that the CM face of the grand alliance for the 2025 state assembly election would be decided at that time.

His remark is in contrast to Nitish's earlier announcement that the grand alliance would contest the election under the leadership of Tejashwi.

MP

Kamal Nath gets Digvijaya backing as Cong CM face

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bhopal

JUST a fortnight after two senior Congress leaders Arun Yadav and Ajay Singh questioned posters projecting state party chief Kamal Nath as "Future CM," former Madhya Pradesh chief minister Digvijaya Singh, in a significant statement, has said that Nath will obviously be party's face in the year-end assembly polls.

"Kamal Nath is the president of the MP Congress Committee, so we'll be fighting the next elections in MP under his leadership. So it's obvious that he'll be the party's face in the next assembly polls," Singh told journalists in Sehore district on Sunday.

Making light of Singh's statements about Kamal Nath being Congress's obvious face in the MP assembly polls, the state's CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan said, "Nobody has been able to understand till date, what Digvijaya Singh says and what actually he means and ends up doing." Just a fortnight ago, senior leaders of the party, including former state party chief Arun Yadav, ex-minister and former leader of opposition Ajay Singh 'Rahul' (both considered to be close to Digvijaya Singh), had questioned those posters.

UP Budget session off to a fiery start, Guv heckled

SP MLAs rush to the well of the House, forcing adjournments

NAMITA BAJPAI @ Lucknow

The commencement of the Budget session of Uttar Pradesh legislature was replete with unruly scenes as Akhilesh Yadav-led Samajwadi Party lawmakers created ruckus both inside and outside the House in Lucknow on Monday. As soon as state Governor Anandiben Patel stood up to deliver her joint address to both the Houses of the legislature, the SP MLAs rushed to the well of the House and started heckling the her by raising slogans with placards - "Rajyapal Go Back" (Governor go back) during the whole duration of her address. The house was adjourned till Tuesday.

The protesting MLAs were taken away in police vans after a tussle with the cops while the media persons were also forcibly removed from the dharna site by marshals. State Finance minister Suresh Khanna will table the Budget on February 22. CM Yogi said elected representatives were the axis of a democratic set-up and must discuss issues of public welfare. "It is the job of government to have discussions on all issues related to the people and raised in the Assembly.

The session will be run from February 20 to March 10, if needed we will have sittings and discussions on Saturdays as well. I appeal to the Opposition to help us run the Assembly smoothly," UP CM Yogi Adityanath had said. On the other hand, Leader of Opposition and SP chief, Akhilesh Yadav attacked the state government over caste census and law and order in the state.

"In the absence of the caste census, people will not get their due in welfare schemes of the government," claimed Akhilesh Yadav.

"Recently, a woman and her daughter were burnt to death. You are going around with bulldozers, expecting that investments will come. You are showing people dreams," said Yadav. He accused the government of looting the farmers.

'YOGI GOVT ON THE PATH OF DEVELOPMENT'

LUCKNOW: Claiming that the Yogi Adityanath government was sensitive towards the issues related to youth, women, farmers and businessmen, Governor Anandiben Patel said, that it was fulfilling the aspirations of the people and was determined to take the state ahead on path of development ensuring welfare of all sections of the society on the lines of 'Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas, Sabka Vishwas and Sabka Prayas. The governor highlighted the achievements of the state including investment projects, agriculture, expressways, conservation and defense.

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Didi seeks recognition for Sari and Sarna groups

Chief minister Mamata Banerjee said she wrote to the Centre for the recognition of Sari and Sarna as religious codes in the census, a move seen as a bid to woo the state's tribal populace ahead of panchayat polls. Recognition of Sari and Sarna, the two dominant faiths practised by the tribal populace, has been a long standing demand of Adivasi community. Though the CM did not specify the demand of Kurmi community, present comes under OBC category, for reassessing the ST tag. These communities plays a decisive role in every election in the four Jungle Mahal districts.

The Indian Museum displays climate change

An exhibition titled "Critical Zones: In Search of a Common Ground", which started at the Indian Museum on February 16 and will continue till April 2, gives a new perspective on climate change in providing an intersection between science, philosophy and arts, thereby engaging visitors with the "critical situation" of the Earth. The exhibition is conceptualised by Bruno Latour, a science theorist, philosopher, sociologist and curator, along with Peter Weibel of ZKM, Centre for Art and Media Karlsruhe, Germany. Latour, who died last year, was interested in humans, animals and plants inhabited the Earth.

Jadhavpur univ's VC reaches out to alumni

Jadavpur University's vice-chancellor Suranjan Das has written to the former students of the chemical engineering department to make contributions on the occasion of the department's centenary for the creation of a fund for necessary expenses that will strengthen teaching and research programmes. The letter was circulated to the alumni through WhatsApp and email by the department. The department, set up in 1921 with collective efforts of personalities such as Acharya Prafulla Chandra Ray, will celebrate its centenary on February 25. The university is encountering financial crisis following a drop in support from the state and Central governments.

Rio to remain Nagaland CM, says Himanta

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NEIPHIU Rio will continue as the Nagaland chief minister if the BJP-Nationalist Democratic Progressive Party (NDPP) combine retains power, his Assam counterpart Himanta Biswa Sarma declared on Monday.

"We managed to give a stable government in the last five years because of the strong friendship between BJP and NDPP. This time too, we decided on the 20:40 seat-sharing deal. Neiphiu Rio will be the chief minister again if we retain power. That is the agreement we had," Sarma told a crowd at a BJP rally in the Wokha district of the state.

A BJP source said there are no other contenders for the CM's post but "there was a confusion who will lead the government if BJP-NDPP retains power." As per their understanding, BJP and NDPP will contest 20 and 40 seats respectively like the last time. Nagaland has altogether 60 seats.

Killing by cow vigilante: Raj cop questions chronology in viral clip

RAKESH ASNANI @ Jaipur

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IN the ongoing sloppy police investigation into the killing of two Muslim youths in a village in Haryana's Bhiwani by the alleged cow vigilante, a video clip has gone viral raising doubts about the sequence of events in the case.

The two youths were first allegedly abducted from Rajasthan's Bharatpur and burnt to death in an SUV that passed through another Haryana town, Nuh. In the clip, the SHO of the Gopalgarh Police Station (Bharatpur) claims that the SUV was set afire by cow vigilantes mainly to hide the evidence of their criminal act. Station House Officer Ram Naresh also says that there are five cases of cow smuggling against one of the victims, Junaid.

In the viral video, the SHO says the information about the two Muslim men going away from their home was leaked from inside the village. That enabled the cow vigilantes to gather information about the movement of both victims.

Apparently, the video clip in which the SHO makes revelations about the deceased Junaid and Nasir is three days old. It was probably part of a sting operation by a local TV channel, in which SHO Ram Naresh, who is investigating the case, is also seen saying that the alleged cow vigilantes had burnt Nasir and Junaid alive in an SUV to destroy the evidence.

In the video, the officer is also seen saying that Junaid has five cases of cow smuggling registered against him, in which he was wanted by the Rajasthan Police.

According to the Gopalgarh police, on February 15, Junaid's relative Ismail lodged a report of kidnapping and assault on Junaid-Nasir and their killing. Five people from Haryana were charged. These include Anil, Shrikant, Rinku Saini, Lokesh Singla and Monu alias Mohit. The mastermind of the case is an alleged 'cow protector' Monu Manesar alias Mohit.

While Rinku Saini has been arrested by Rajasthan Police and he is in the custody of Gopalgarh police, the other accused are absconding. Rinku is being questioned during remand. The SHO is saying in the video that the alleged cow vigilantes thrashed Nasir and Junaid and handed them over to the Haryana Police. He says in the video that "the Haryana Police seeing their condition said they would not take them."

The alleged torching incident was triggered by the Haryana Police raising the jurisdiction issue. They (the alleged cow protectors) thrashed the victims to destroy the evidence and put them in an SUV. Later, they set the vehicle afire near Bhiwani," the Rajasthan officer is heard saying in the clip.

BJP peeved as nod to PM rally venue denied

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THE Meghalaya government's denial of permission for a rally of PM Narendra Modi at a stadium in the Tura town of the state enraged the BJP.

He was scheduled to hold the election rally at the PA Sangma Stadium in the West Garo Hills district on February 24. However, the state's Sports Department did not grant permission on the grounds that it is not fit for such an event. The stadium was inaugurated on December 16 last year.

"The PA Sangma Stadium is not under the control of district administration. It is still under construction and therefore, the application was forwarded to Sports Department, Shillong by the RO (returning officer) concerned," an official statement said.

It also said that the Sports Department communicated that it would not be fit to host such a big gathering as materials are at the site and construction is underway and the same might involve safety issues.

"As such, an alternate venue of Alotgre Cricket Stadium is being considered," the statement added. Local BJP leaders are, however, not happy over the alternate site. Not only it is located 5 km from the Tura town but there is also poor accessibility. They sniffed that the ruling National People's Party (NPP) was jittery over the "favour of the BJP".

BJP national secretary Rituraj Sinha also criticised the state government on the issue. The BJP is an ally of the NPP and constituent of the state's ruling coalition. Recently, the BJP had slammed the government for inaugurating the half-constructed stadium.

MP godman's brother gatecrashes wedding with pistol & cigarette

ANURAAG SINGH @ Bhopal

FOR the last few weeks, Dhirendra Krishna Shastri, the young Peethadhishwar of Lord Hanuman temple Bageshwar Dham in Madhya Pradesh's Chhatarpur district, has continuously hogged headlines for "miraculous powers" and backing demand for Hindu Rashtra.

But now it's his younger brother Saurabh alias Shaligram's turn to be in news, although for wrong reasons.

The 26-year-old godman's brother Saurabh alias Shaligram, is seen in a viral video, crashing a scheduled caste (SC) woman's wedding, possibly in Chhatarpur district. In the same video, the godman's brother, in a drunken state, is seen threatening the guests with a country made pistol.

Holding a cigarette in one hand and the gun in the other, Shastri's brother can be seen abusing an unidentified man and also pointing the gun on him. As per informed sources, Saurabh crashed the wedding ceremony possibly in Garha village (where Bageshwar Dham is located). He then objected to playing popular Rai folk dance music instead of songs of the Dham.

Sources in Chhatarpur district added that the incident happened at the February 11 marriage of Dalit couple Akash and Sita Ahirwar in Garha village under Bamitha police station area. Just when the guests at the wedding were having dinner, the godman's younger brother along with his aides stormed into the marriage and created ruckus.

With the video going viral over social media, the Chhatarpur district police took cognizance of it and constituted a team to enquire into the video, the place and time of its filming and about those seen in the video. Based on probe's outcome further legal action will be taken, a media statement issued by Chhatarpur police read. Shastri has been in news recently, particularly after a Nagpur-based NGO questioned his "miraculous powers."

Recently, many politicians, including present MP CM Shivraj Singh Chouhan, his predecessor and state Congress chief Kamal Nath and state BJP president VD Sharma visited the Bageshwar Dham, where a Maha Yajna is reportedly underway for creation of Hindu Rashtra.

Surabh objects to playing folk dance music

Saurabh alias Shaligram, the godman's brother, crashed the wedding ceremony possibly in Garha village (where Bageshwar Dham is located). He then objected to playing popular Rai folk dance music instead of songs of the Dham.

Sportsmen protest after death of cadet

MUKESH RANJAN @ Ranchi

HUNDREDS of budding Olympians took to the streets of Ranchi late Sunday night following the death of a Jharkhand State Sports Promotion Society (JSSPS) cadet allegedly due to medical negligence.

Cadets undergoing training at the Khelgaon campus of JSSC jumped their hostel gate and reached Rajendra Instittue of Medical Sciences in Ranchi where Anajali Oraon's body was kept for post-mortem.

"Anajali was not keeping well since Friday, but JSSPS authorities did not pay heed to it. She was put under medication. When her condition worsened, they took her to the hospital where doctors declared her brought dead," said a JSSPS cadet, requesting anonymity. Cadets also alleged that they were kept in the dark about Anajali's death till late Sunday evening. They charged JSSPS authorities of negligence. There is no medical facility available in the hostel, they alleged.

Farm labour to bizwoman: Sitaben's journey creates buzz at Aadi Mahotsav

DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @
Ahmedabad

THE 'Aadi Mahotsav' being held at Major Dhyan Chand National Stadium, Delhi is a hot bed of inspiration with success stories of tribal entrepreneurs. One such story is of Sitaben belonging to Saputara village in Dang district of Gujarat.

Starting as a farm labourer, Sitaben is now known as a businesswoman who makes and sells millet snacks including biscuits, chakri, papad among others. She used to work as a farm labourer supporting her family of five, including her alcoholic husband. After the death of her husband, in order to take care of her children, she started her own business of making a variety of millet products.

Gradually, her popularity rose and orders from within and outside the state started pouring in. She now is able to make Rs 15,000 – Rs 20,000 per month. Sitaben has been among the lucky ones to have met Prime Minister Narendra Modi at the inauguration of the Aadi Mahotsav. She also has her own stall at the festival that will continue till February 27. To her complete astonishment, she sold out her products in the first two days.

Recalling her meeting with the PM she said, "I told him my friends would ask whom I had met in Delhi and he smiled and took a photograph with me."

Talking about her business, Sitaben said, "Now I am able to earn Rs 15,000 to Rs 20,000 a month and take care of my family. I am also now a proud member of the Dangi Adivasi Mahila Khedut Utpadak Producer Company Ltd's Board of Directors." Another example of a success story of a tribal person from Gujarat is Vajirbhai Kochhadia. In the Bharuch district's Hathakund village, he has a family business of manufacturing and marketing bamboo goods. He was successful in selling bamboo goods worth more than Rs 2 lakh in 2019.

"With the help of 'Gujarat Vans Kala Udhyog' and The Aga Khan Trust for training us villagers, we are now able to sell and manufacture our products across India," Vajirbhai said.

RAJASTHAN RAJYA VIDYUT PRASARAN NIGAM LIMITED

SHORT TERM NOTICE INVITING BIDS NO.21 (2022-23)

RVPN invites competitive BIDS for following Civil works from experienced, reputed contractors registered in appropriate class with RRVPNL & A or AA class in Central/ State Government Department and their undertakings and registered in GST department. The Tender/bid shall only be submitted through online tendering system of **http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in**. The interested bidders shall have to be enrolled/ registered with portal of **http://eproc.rajasthan.gov.in** for participating in the bidding process. S. No. 01 SHORT TERMNIB No. 21 (2022-23). UBN No. VPN2223WSOB01962

Superintending Engineer (Civil), Jodhpur

Raj.Samwad/C/22/14750 RRVPN/TR-5746/2023

STATE BANK OF INDIA

RETAIL ASSETS CENTRAL PROCESSING CENTER (RACPC) Shankarapuram (64063)
NO. 13/1, 3rd Floor, BULL TEMPLE ROAD, OPP. SRI RAMA KRISHNA MUTT,
BASAVANAGUDI, BANGALORE -560 004, Tel: 080 -25943006/07
Email : support.shankarpuram@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

A/C No. YLR/ HL/40749736712/40292/HL/12

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **State Bank of India,** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (No. 3 of 2002) issued a Demand Notice dated **01.12.2022** calling upon the borrower : **Sri. Abhishek Deshmukh** S/o. Ashim Bikash Deshmukh to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 72,82,340/-** (Rupees Seventy Two Lakhs Eighty Two Thousand Three Hundred and Forty only) as on **30.11.2022** and interest & expenses thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower has failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on **17.02.2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the **State Bank of India** for an aggregate amount of **Rs. 74,26,596/-** (Rupees Seventy Four Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Five Hundred and Ninety Six only) as on **15.02.2023** + interest + expenses thereon.

The borrower's / mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
SCHEDULE "A" PROPERTY

Item No.1 : All that piece and parcel of immovable Residential immovable property bearing Municipal Corporation Nos. 37/1/84/1 and 2165/84/1, being an undeveloped residential converted land out of Sy. No. 84/1 (duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes, as per Official Memorandum bearing No.B.DIS.ALN(EAST) S.R. (K.R. Puram Hobli) /68/2008-09 dated 17.12.2008 and No.B.DIS.ALN(EAST) S.R. (K.R.Puram Hobli)/69/2008-09 dated 20.12.2008, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru), situated at Rachenahalli Village, K.R.Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, now comes within the limits of Bruhut Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Thanisandra Ward No. 6, Bengaluru, measuring : 3 Acres 12 Guntas (excluding Kharab Land) and **bounded on the : East by :** Land in Sy. No. 84/2, **West by :** Land owned by Sri. A.T. Babu Rao and Sri.A.T.Shankar Rao in same Survey Number, **North by :** Government Road and Property belongs to Sri. N. Lokappa and other in same Survey Number, **South by :** Land in Survey No. 83.

Item No. 2 (Composite Amalgamated Property) : All that piece and parcel of immovable Residential immovable property bearing Municipal Corporation Nos. 37/1/84/1, being an undeveloped residential converted land out of Sy. No. 84/1 (duly converted for non-agricultural residential purposes, as per Official Memorandum bearing No. B.DIS.ALN (EAST) S.R. (KRAHO)/68/2008-09 dated 17.12.2008 and No. B.DIS.ALN (EAST) S.R. (KRAHO)/69/2008-09 dated 20.12.2008, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru), situated at Rachenahalli Village, K.R. Puram Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk, now comes within the limits of Bruhut Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike, Thanisandra Ward No. 6, Bengaluru, measuring : 5 Acres 12 ½ Guntas or 2,31,412 square feet or 21498.699 square ,meters (excluding Kharab Land) and **bounded on the : East by :** Land in Sy. No. 84/2, **West by :** Land in Sy. No. 81, **North by :** 60 feet Government Road and Property belongs to Sri. N. Lokappa and others in same Survey Number, **South by :** Land in Survey No.83.

Schedule "B" Property : Together with 344.55 square feet of undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership in Schedule 'A' Property.

Schedule "C" Property : All that piece and parcel of the Residential Apartment bearing Flat No. W2-B-903, in 9th Floor, in 'B' Block, (2BHK), New BBMP Khatha No. 37/1/84/1-230/W2-B-903, having 1076.10 square feet of super built Area put up area, which includes the carpet area in the Apartment building known as "Vasathi Avante" and proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lift wells, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use and one reserved covered car parking slot in basement floor Block – B, in the Schedule 'A' property, standing in the name of Sri. Abhishek Deshmukh and bounded on the : East by : Entrance / Corridor, West by : W2-B-902, North by : W2-B-904, South by : Open Area

Date: 17.02.2023
Place : Bangalore

Sd/-
Chief Manager and Authorised Officer

KARNATAKA STATE POLLUTION CONTROL BOARD

No.49, "Parisara Bhavana", 1st to 5th Floor, Church Street,
Bengaluru - 560 001, Karnataka, INDIA.
Ph: 25581383, 25589112, 25586520 Fax: 080-25586321
E-mail: ho@kspcb.gov.in Website : https://kspcb.karnataka.gov.in

No.PCB/06/INFRA/EPH/22/ 7687 **Date: 15/02/2023**

ENVIRONMENTAL PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board has proposed to develop Harohalli Industrial Area 4th Phase, over an extent of land 352.31 Acres (142.63 Ha) situated at Rampura & Cheeluru Villages of Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District, Karnataka. The project requires obtaining Environmental Clearance as per EIA Notification dated 14.9.2006, and are required to conduct Environmental Public Hearing process. Accordingly, they have obtained Terms of Reference (ToR) issued by MoEF & CC, Government of India, vide letter No.F.No.10/30/2022-IA.III dated 16.09.2022. As per project proponent request letter No.KIADB/EE/ Harohalli 4th Phase/1145/2022-23 dated 02.01.2023, the Environmental Public Hearing is being conducted by the Board as per details given below.

1. **Name of the Company & Address :** The Executive Engineer-1, Karnataka Industrial Area Development Board, # 49, 4th & 5th Floors, East Wing", Khanija Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bengaluru – 560 001.
2. **Proposed location of the project :** Rampura Village, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District, Karnataka.
3. **Details of activity:** Formation of industrial area consisting of Plots to establish industries
4. **Date, time and venue of public hearing: 23rd March 2023 Thursday at 11.00 AM at the project location, Rampura Village, Kanakapura Taluk, Ramanagara District, Karnataka.**
5. **Capital Investment:** Rs.361.28 Cr.
6. **Places of availability of project documents kept open for public.** (a) Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Ramanagara. (b) Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Panchayat, Ramanagara. (c) District Industries Centre, Ramanagara. (d) Taluk Panchayath Office, Kanakapura. (e) Village Panchayath Office, Rampura. (f) Office of the Regional Office, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Parisara Bhavana, Near DC Office, Bengaluru-Mysuru Road, Ramanagara- 562 159. (g) Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change, South Zone Office, E-3/240, Kendriya Sadan, 4th Floor, E&F Wings, 17th Main Road, 2nd Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru - 560 034. (h) HELP DESK, Karnataka State Pollution Control Board, Ground Floor, No.49, Parisara Bhavan, Church Street, Bengaluru - 560 001.

NOTE: Suggestions, views, comments and objections of interested bonafide residents, environmental groups and others located at project site who are likely to be affected by the proposed project are invited, within 30 days from the date of publication of this Notification. They can also make oral/written/E-Mail suggestions to the Karnataka State Pollution Control Board/Chairman, Environmental Public Hearing Committee (Deputy Commissioner, Ramanagara District). Interested public can participate in the Public Hearing at the above place. For details please visit our Website: **http://kspcb.karnataka.gov.in.**

Sd/-
Member Secretary

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Corporate Identity Number: U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
Mobile No. 96461-07205

E-Tender Enq.No. 432/P-II/EMP-W12213 **dt : 14.02.23**

Dy. Chief Engineer / Headquarter (Procurement Cell-2) GGSSTP, Roopnagar invites E-tender **ID No. 2023_POWER_96720_1** for Supply Replacement Testing and Commissioning of 4 Nos. existing Air Blast Circuit Breakers with SF6 Gas Circuit Breakers at 132kV/220kV Substation GGSSTP Rupnagar. For detailed NIT & Tender Specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **17.02.23** onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum & addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in**

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KARNATAKA GOVERNMENT SECRETARIAT
FINANCE DEPARTMENT VIDHANA SOUDHA, Bangalore

No. FD 03 BMB 2022 **Bengaluru, February 20, 2023**

PRESS COMMUNIQUE

It is notified for general information that the outstanding balance of **8.65% Karnataka SDL 2023** issued in terms of the Government of **Karnataka,** Finance Department Notification No. FD 01 BMB 2012 dated **March 15, 2013** will be repaid at par on **March 20, 2023** with interest due up to and including **March 19, 2023.** In the event of a holiday being declared on the aforesaid date by any State Government under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881, the loan will be repaid by the paying offices in that State on the previous working day. **No interest will accure on the loan from and after March 20, 2023.**

2. As per sub-regulation 24(2) and 24(3) of Government Securities Regulations, 2007 payment of maturity proceeds to the registered holder of Government Security held in the form of Subsidiary General Ledger or Constituent Subsidiary General Ledger account or Stock Certificate shall be made by a pay order incorporating the relevant particulars of his bank account or by credit to the account of the holder in any bank having facility of receipt of funds through electronic means. For the purpose of making payment in respect of the securities, the original subscriber or the subsequent holders of such a Government Securities, as the case may be, shall submit to the Bank or Treasury and Sub-Treasury or branch of State Bank of India, where they are enfaced/registered for payment of interest, as the case my be, the relevant particulars of their bank account.

3. However, in the absence of relevant particulars of bank account / mandate for receipt of funds through electronic means, to faciliate repayment on the due date, holders of **8.65% Karnataka SDL 2023** should tender their securities at the Public Debt Office, 20 days in advance. The securities should be tendered for repayment, duly discharged on the reverse there of as under:

"Received the Principal due on the Certificate"

4. It should be particularly noted that at places where the treasury work is done by a branch of the State Bank of India, the securities, if they are in the form of Stock Certificates, should be tendered at the branch of the bank concerned and not at the Treasury or Sub-Treasury.

5. Holders who wish to recieve payment at places other than those where the securities have been enfaced for payment should send them duly discharged to the Public Debt Office concerned by Registered and Insured Post. The Public Debt Office will make payment by issuing a draft payable at any Treasury/Sub-Treasury or branch of State Bank of India conducting Government Treasury work in the State of **Karnataka.**

Sd/-
Secretary to Government
(Budget & Resources)
Finance Department

DIPR/CP/VCPL/4831/2022-23

The National Co-Operative Bank Ltd.,

No.73/1, Gandhi Bazaar Main Road, Bangalore - 560 004.
Ph: 080-22421998, 26618092, 26618093 E-mail: admin.ao@ncbl.org.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised officer of **The National Co-operative Bank Limited** under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Second) Ordinance, 2002 (Ord. 3 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with rule 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **12.12.2022** calling upon the borrower **Sri.Raghunath Reddy.S** S/o Nagi Reddy.S No.43, Motappanapalya, 9th Cross, 2nd Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560038. and the **Co-obligant (1) Smt.Praveena.M** W/o Sri.Raghunath Reddy.S, No.43, Motappanapalya, 9th Cross, 2nd Stage, Indiranagar, Bangalore-560038. Repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.96,39,007/-** (Rupees Ninety Six Lakhs Thirty Nine Thousand Seven only) with interest from **01.12.2022** within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The amount due as on **30.11.2022** is **Rs.96,39,007/-** (Rupees Ninety Six Lakhs Thirty Nine Thousand Seven only) and interest thereon from **01.12.2022.** Cost to other charges and expenses there on.

The borrower and the co-obligant having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower, co-obligant and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13(4) of the Ordinance read with rule 9 of the said rule on this **20th day of February 2023.**

The borrower and the co-obligant in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **The National Co-operative Bank Limited** for an amount of **Rs.96,39,007/-** (Rupees Ninety Six Lakhs Thirty Nine Thousand Seven only) and interest thereon from **01.12.2022.**

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY SCHEDULE

(1) ITEM NO.1 : All that piece and parcel of land dwelling houses and outhouses,wells,trees and drains thereon built and planted and situated and floors/outhouses hereinafter to be built, planted, together with all rights and basements pertaining thereto and hereafter and enjoyed and acquired Property bearing Site No.25, Old Khatha No.25/2, New Khatha No.128, situated at A.Narayanapura, K.R.Puram hobli, Bangalore measuring East to West 15 feet, North to South 40 feet in all measuring 600 Square feet and bounded by the following boundaries. East by : Item No.2 (Site No.25/1) : West By : Property belongs to Shettappa, North by : Road, South by : Private Property.

(2) ITEM NO.2 : All that piece and parcel of land dwelling houses and outhouses,wells,trees and drains thereon built and planted and situated and floors/outhouses hereinafter to be built, planted, together with all rights and basements pertaining thereto and hereafter and enjoyed and acquired Property bearing Gramtana Site No.25/1, Khatha No.129, situated at A.Narayanapura, K.R.Puram hobli, Bangalore measuring East to West 15 feet, North to South 35 feet in all measuring 525 Square feet and bounded by the following boundaries. East by : Sree Venkataramanaswamy temple, West By : House belongs to Vimallamma, North by : Road, South by : Property belongs to Vimalamma.

Date: 20.02.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
The National Co-Op Bank Ltd.,

Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.

Regd. Off : "Udaya ahakara Bhavana", # 29/11, 1st Main,
Mount Joy Road, Hanumanthanagar, Bengaluru-19.

POSSESSION NOTICE Appendix IV [Rule 8(1)

For immovable property mortagage to **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Ltd.,** whereas The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Udaya Souharda Credit Co-operative Society Ltd, under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a demand notice dated **18.04.2022** calling upon the borrower mentioned herein below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **14th day of FEBRUARY of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,** for an amount mentioned below and interest thereon.

You are further requested to note that as per Section 13(13) of The SARFAESI ACT, 2002, you are RESTRAINED/PROHIBITED from disposing of or dealing with the Secured Asset, without prior written consent of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DETAILS OF THE LOAN ACCOUNT : Name of the Borrower : Sri. GIRIDHAR .K.S S/o. Sri. M.S. KUPPU SWAMY, Date of Demand Notice Under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI ACT, 2002, **18.04.2022.**

Amount in Demand Notice : Rs.1,01,93,806/- (Rupees One Crore One Lakh Ninty Three Thousand Eight Hundred and Six Only)

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

SCHEDULE - 1 : All that piece and parcel of the Schedule Property bearing Vacant Site No.21/D,converted Land bearing sy No.240/4,vide conversion order No. ALN(S) SR(K)177/2009-10, dated 03/05/2010,situated at Halagevaderahalli village,Kengari Hobli,Bangalore south Taluk,and the said schedule property now comes under the administrative jurisdiction and control of BBMP,Word No.160,Rajarajeshwarinagar Sub-Division,Bangalore,Vide BBMP Katha No.1037/240/4/1 and Measuring Follows: East to West:90 feet and North to South:25 feet in Totally measuring 2250 sq feet Bounded on : East By : Road, West By : Sy No.242/1, North By : Site No. 21/C, South By : Sy. No. 242/3,

Date: 14.02.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer
Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd,

THE KARUR VYSYA BANK LTD

KVB Karur Vysya Bank Smart way to bank

DIVISIONAL OFFICE
No.6, 2nd Floor, Sajjan Rao Circle, V.V.Puram,
Bangalore-560004

DEMAND NOTICE

Reg: Notice issued under Sec 13 [2] of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 [SARFAESI Act] for recovery of dues in the loan a/c of **(1) Mr. G.Raghunath** S/o. Mr. Gangadharappa, No.A-1-26, DOS Housing Colony, Old Land, Opp ESI Hospital, HAL 2nd Stage, Indiranagar-560038. **(2) Mr. Gangadharappa (Guarantor)** S/o Mr. Gurappa, No.A-1-26, DOS Housing Colony, Old Land, Opp ESI Hospital, HAL 2nd Stage, Indiranagar-560038.

Whereas you have committed default in repayment of loans in the above mentioned loan account to the secured creditor bank, the Bank had issued notice under the SARFAESI Act on **28.01.2022** calling upon you to repay the outstanding amount of **Rs.7,57,912.98 (Rupees Seven Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Twelve and Paise Ninety Eight only)** A copy of the notice is also affixed on the Site and Building bearing New No. 54/1, Kullappa Colony, Bangalore-560017.

Whereas the notices sent to **No.1** of you by Regd. Post/Courier have been returned unserved. You are hereby called upon to visit the bank and obtain copy of the notice in your own interest in order to note the full particulars of the loan dues, securities charged to the bank etc.

You are hereby called upon to pay the amount as shown above together with interest from **29.04.2021** till date of payment within 60 days from the date of the notice failing which, the secured creditor Bank will be constrained to exercise its rights of enforcement of the secured assets hypothecated/ mortgaged to the bank as mentioned below, as per the provisions of SARFAESI Act.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF SECURED ASSETS

All that piece and parcel of Site and Building bearing New No. 54/1, Kullappa Colony, Bangalore-560017, Ward No. 73, PID No. 73-44-54, measuring East to West 22.5 Ft, North to South 30 ft totally measuring 675 Sq.ft, Bounded on North by : Property belonging to Narasimha Murthy, South by : Road, East by : Eastern Portion of the same property, sold to Mrs. Prema.G, West by : Private Property.

Date : 20.02.2023
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorized Officer
The Karur Vysya Bank Limited

IN THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I, KARNATAKA AT BANGALORE

4th Floor, Telephone House,
Raj Bhavan Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

O.A. No. 645/2021

STATE BANK OF INDIA, SME BRANCH, KUMAR PARK, IFSC Code: SBIN0008577, No.20, Badaganadu Sangha Building, Kumar Park West, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore-560 020.

Represented by Chief Manager, SME Centre, No.20, Badaganadu Sangha Building, Kumar Park West, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore-560 020. Email: sbi.8577@sbi.co.in **...APPLICANT**

AND : Sri Gangaraju C A, S/o Chikkanjinappa Proprietor, M/s G R Flowers **...DEFENDANT**

To, **Sri Gangaraju C A**, S/o Chikkanjinappa Proprietor, M/s G R Flowers, No. 37, 14th Cross, 11th Main, Wilson Garden, Bangalore-560 027.

And Also At: 1. Opp. Brand Factory No.4, Hosur Main Road, Lakkasandra Extension, Wilson Garden Bangalore-560 027.

2. No.4, Chikkakurugodu, Tq.: Gowribidanur, Dist. Chikkaballapur- 561208. **...DEFENDANT**

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT
UNDER RULE 23(VIII) OF DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993.

Whereas the applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks and Bankruptay Act 1993 against the defendant for recovery of sum Rs. 32,68,258-00 together with current and future interest and for other reliefs. You are hereby summoned to appear and file written statement before this Tribunal at 10.30 A M or at such time immediately thereafter according to the convenience of Tribunal **on 6.7.2023** to answer the claim.

Take Notice that in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceeding will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on this the 15th day of February 2023.

By the order of the Tribunal, Signature of the Officer, Authorised to issued Summons

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ನಂ.ಎಚ್.ಡಿಎಂಸಿ/67/07/2022-23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20-02-2023

ಇ-ಟೆಂಡರ ಅಧಿಸೂಚನೆ

ಸನ್ 2022-23 ನೇ ಸಾಲಿನ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ ಅನುದಾನ, 15ನೇ ಹಣಕಾಸು ಯೋಜನೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಮಲೆನಾಡು ಪ್ರದೇಶಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಅನುದಾನದಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆಯ ವ್ಯಾಪ್ತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಅಧ್ಯಾದೇಶ 1999-2000ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಸ್ಟ್ಯಾಂಡರ್ಡ ಬಿಡ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯೂಮೆಂಟ್ ನಿಯಮದನ್ವಯ PWD/CPWD/ ಇತರೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರಿ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನೊಂದಾಯಿತರಾದ 1ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ, 2ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ, 3ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ ಮತ್ತು 4ನೇ ದರ್ಜೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಮೇಲ್ಪಟ್ಟ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಈ ಕೆಳಕಂಡ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಟೆಂಡರನಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾಗವಹಿಸಬಹುದು.

ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಇ.ನಂ :**1)142576(Gen), 2)142718(Gen), 3)142514(Gen), 4)142558(Gen), 5)142726(Gen), 6)145002(Gen), 7)142028(Gen), 8)144410(Gen), 9)144284(SC), 10)142517(Gen), 11)142595(Gen), 12)142810(Gen), 13)142510(Gen), 14)133332(Gen), 15)133334(Gen), 16)142885(Gen), 17)143881(Gen), 18)144281(SC), 19)142469(Gen), 20)139317(Gen), 21)142520(Gen), 22)142528(Gen), 23)142826(Gen), 24)142536(Gen), 25)142453(ST), 26)142825(Gen), 27)142459(ST), 28)139180(Gen), 29)141097(Gen), 30)143357(Gen), 31)139189(Gen), 32)140096(Gen), 33)143369(ST), 34)140098(Gen), 35)138305(Gen), 36)146631(Gen), 37)147406(Gen), 38)146714(Gen), 39)147303(Gen), 40)142031(Gen), 41)147426(Gen), 42)147125(Gen), 43)147101(Gen), 44)144180(SC), 45)144181(Gen), 46)147102(Gen), 47)144185(ST), 48)147142(Gen), 49)147132(SC), 50)144184(Gen),** ಒಟ್ಟು 50 ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳ ಮೊತ್ತ ರೂ. 901.57 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳಿಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಟೆಂಡರ ದಾಖಲೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರಕಾರದ ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯುರಮೆಂಟ ಮೂಲಕ ದಿ. 21-2-2023 ರಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಕಾರಣಗಳಿಂದ ಸದರ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವುದಾದರೂ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯಾದಲ್ಲಿ, ಸದರಿ ಬದಲಾವಣೆಯ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತ್ರ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಲಾಗುವುದು.

ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಬೇಕಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು ಧಾರವಾಡ ಕಚೇರಿಯ ಕೆಲಸದ ವೇಳೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದೆ. ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: 0836-2213838 ರಿಂದ ಮಾಹಿತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು ಮತ್ತು ಅಂತರ್‌ಜಾಲದ ಮೂಲಕ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ ವಿಳಾಸ **http://www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**ರಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ಮೇಲೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿದ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ 1) ಟೆಂಡರ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸುವ ಕೊನೆಯ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 08/03/2023 ಸಂಜೆ 05.30 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ, 2) ಟೆಂಡರ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 09/03/2023 ಸಂಜೆ 05.35 ಗಂಟೆ . 3) ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್ಡ ತೆರೆಯುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 14/03/2023 ಸಂಜೆ 4.30 ಗಂಟೆಗೆ.

ಸಹಿ/-ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು
ಹುಬ್ಬಳ್ಳಿ-ಧಾರವಾಡ ಮಹಾನಗರ ಪಾಲಿಕೆ, ಧಾರವಾಡ

ವಾ.ಸಾ.ಇ/ಧಾ/1127/2022-23/ದೇಶಪಾಂಡೆಪಬ್ಲಿಸಿಟಿ

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION LIMITED

HDFC Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited

Regd Office: Ramon House, H.T.Parekh Marg, 169, Backbay Reclamation, Churchgate Mumbai-400020
Regional Office : HDFC House, No.51, Kasturba Road, Bangaluru-560001,
Tel No.080-64807999, CIN L70100MH1977PLC019916, Website: www.hdfc.com

E- AUCTION SALE NOTICE (Sale through e-bidding only)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the SecuritizationandReconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor(s) indicated in Column (A) that the below described immovable property(ties) described in Column (D) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive / physical possession of which has been taken as described in column (C) by the Authorized Officer of **Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited (HDFC Ltd)** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** as per the details mentioned below :

Notice is hereby given to Borrower / Mortgagor(s) / legal heirs, legal representatives (whether known or unknown), executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s) and assign(s) of the respective Borrower(s) / Mortgagor(s)(since deceased), as the case may be, indicated in Column (A) under Rule 9(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited (HDFC Ltd)** Secured Creditor's website i.e.

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<tr><th>(A)</th><th>(B)</th><th>(C)</th><th>(D)</th></tr>
<tr><th>Name/s of Borrower(s)/ Mortgager(s)/ Guarantor(s)</th><th>Outstanding dues to be recovered (Secured Debt) (Rs.)*</th><th>Type of Possession</th><th>Description of the Immovable Property / Secured Asset, (1 Sq. mtr. is equivalent to 10.76 Sq.ft) Reserve Price (Rs.), Earnest Money Deposit (Rs), Date of Auction and Time</th></tr>
<tr><td>M/s. Golden Gate Properties Limited, (Borrower)
Mr.Sanjay Raj C D
(Whole Time Director)</td><td>Loan A/c No: 6360214061 Rs.11,54,66,971/- (Rupees Eleven Crores Fifty Four Lakhs Sixty Six Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy One Only) due as on as on 31-Jan-2023</td><td>Physical</td><td>All that piece and parcel of **3 unsold units/flats** (belonging to the Borrower's share) along with proportionate undivided share in the land of the project financed as **"Golden Homes – Phase III"** constructed on the property bearing **Sy No's 89,97,98,99 & 100** situated at Indlabele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore – Land totally measuring 17 Acres 8 Guntas and building constructed / to be constructed there on.
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<tr><th>Sl No</th><th>Unit No.</th><th>Plot area (in Sq,ft)</th><th>Reserve Price</th><th>Earnest Money Deposit (Rs)</th><th>Last date to submit the Bid</th><th>Date of Auction and Time</th></tr>
<tr><td>1</td><td>Plot No: 94</td><td>4734</td><td>7600000</td><td>760000</td><td>13.03.2023</td><td>14.03.2023
11.00 am to 11.30 am</td></tr>
<tr><td>2</td><td>Plot No: 128</td><td>1453</td><td>2400000</td><td>240000</td><td>13.03.2023</td><td>14.03.2023
11.30 am to 12.00 pm</td></tr>
<tr><td>3</td><td>Plot No: 107 (Along with part structure)</td><td>1453</td><td>3400000</td><td>340000</td><td>13.03.2023</td><td>14.03.2023
12.30 pm to 1.00 pm</td></tr>
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***together with further interest @ 18% p.a. as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. incurred up to the date of payment and / or realisation thereof.**

For any assistance related to inspection of the property, or for obtaining the Bid document and for any other queries, please get in touch with Mr.Yogesh.N/ShridharChinni official of HDFC Limited through Tel No.080-41182283, 080-41182126/ 9449080072.

To the best of knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer of HDFC Ltd, there are no encumbrances in respect of the above immovable properties / Secured Assets.

Date: 21.02.2023
Place: Bangalore

For Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd.,
Sd/- Authorized Officer under SARFAESI Act, 2002

बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया Bank of India BOI

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E - AUCTION SALE NOTICE

SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX-IV-A [See proviso to Rule 8 (6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties Mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of India, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** for recovery of below mentioned amount/s. The details of Borrower/s/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date, Time & EMD amount are mentioned below.

SL. NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF BORROWER/S / GUARANTOR/ S/ MORTGAGOR (S)	DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES WITH KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES	BRANCH NAME; ACCOUNT NO; TOTAL DUES	DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION	RESERVE PRICE, EMD AMOUNT.	STATUS OF POSSESSION (SYMBOLIC/PHYSICAl)	PROPERTY INSPECTION DATE
1	**M/s United Fabric Designs,** Add- No.17/18, I Floor, Maanee Ave Road, Ulsoor-560005 **Mrs. Marenla Tuzdy (Borrower),** Add- II Floor, 3rd Cross, No. 22, Lazar Road, Fraser Town, Bengaluru-560005, **Mr. G Selvaraj (Deaseased) (Guarantor),** Add- No.17/18, I Floor, Maanee Ave Road, Ulsoor-560005, **Mrs. S Bharatha Devi (Guarantor),** Add- No.B-6, 168, BDA Flats, Kallahalli, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560042. **Mrs. S Bharatha Devi (Guarantor)Also available at:-** Add- No.735, Byataguddepalya, Venkateshappa, Layout, Beerappa Road, R S Palya, Bengaluru-560033 **Mrs. Usha,** Add- No.B-6, 168, BDA Flats, Kallahalli, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560042 **Mrs. Usha, Also available at:-** Add- No.735, Byataguddepalya, Venkateshappa, Layout, Beerappa Road, R S Palya, Bengaluru-560033 **Mr. Tulasidharan,** Add- No.B-6, 168, BDA Flats, Kallahalli, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560042 **Mr. Tulasidharan,** Also available at:-Add- No.735, Byataguddepalya, Venkateshappa Layout, Beerappa Road, R S Palya, Bengaluru-560033 **Mr. S. Bhumesh Kumar,** Add- No.B-6, 168, BDA Flats, Kallahalli, 2nd Stage, Bengaluru-560042 **Mr. S. Bhumesh Kumar, Also available at:-** Add- No.735, Byataguddepalya, Venkateshappa, Layout, Beerappa Road, R S Palya, Bengaluru-560033.	All that part and parcel of the immovable property situated at No 2457, New No. 735, Byatagudda Palya, alias Ramaswamy Palya, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore- 560033, measuring East to West- 40 feet and North to South – 30 feet, admeasuring 1200 sq. ft., owned by Mrs. S Bharatha Devi wife of Sri G. Selvaraj and Late G Selvaraj (since deceased & now represented by his legal heirs (1) Smt. Usha (2) Shri T. Tulasidharan and (3) Shri S. Bhumesh Kumar – all are children of late G. Selvaraj). The Boundaries of the Property : East by - Site No. 46, West by - Site No. 44, North by - 20 feet Road, South by - Site No. 42.	**BRANCH : ASSET RECOVERY** **A/C No: 849970200030060, A/C No: 849925100040005** **A/C No: 849970200030059, A/C No: 849980110000006** **A/C No: 849982610000001** **for recovery of Rs.39,92,170/- (Thirty Nine Lakhs Ninety Two Thousand One Hundred Seventy) with further interest @12.75 % p.a in respect of TL outstanding, 15.50% p.a on Packing Credit and FBP outstanding with monthly compounding interest, costs and charges due to BANK OF INDIA, Bengaluru Asset Recovery Branch from 1.M/s United Fabric Designs, 2.Mrs. Marenla Tzudy (Proprietrix), 3.Late Mr. G Selvaraj (Guarantor) and 4.Mrs. S. Bharatha Devi (Guarantor).**	**27.03.2023 & 11.00 Am to 05.00 Pm**	**Reserve price: Rs.72,00,000/-** **EMD: Rs.7,20,000/-**	**Symbolic**	**From 21.02.2023 to 24.03.2023 between 10.00 Am to 4.00 Pm** **Contact: 07905068448**

To the best knowledge and information available with the Authorized Officer, there is no encumbrance on the properties referred above. However, the intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of the property and to inspect & satisfy them. The auction will be online E-Auction Sale/Bidding and shall be done only through "Online Electronic Bidding" process through the website **https://www.boi.auctiontiger.net**. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **https://www.bankofindia.co.in/tenders.** Date & Time of E-auction: **27-03-2023 between 11.00 Am & 5.00 Pm** (with unlimited extension of 10 minutes if bidding continues till sale is concluded).

Date: 20.02.2023, Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer, Bank of India

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killed, 60 injured as bus veers off road in Pakistan's Punjab province

GLOBAL WEATHER
LR: Light Rain • **HR:** Heavy Rain • **SW:** Snow • **TDS:** Thundershower • **LC:** Light Cloud • **SNY:** Sunny

Beijing	7	-7	TDS	Los Angeles	21	9	LC
Colombo	30	23	LC	Melbourne	24	16	HR
Dhaka	31	22	TDS	Moscow	-4	-13	HR
Dubai	24	18	SNY	New York	14	6	LC
Houston	25	19	SNY	Singapore	30	24	TDS
Istanbul	13	6	LC	Toronto	4	-1	LC
London	14	7	LC	Washington	16	6	LC

Difficult to hold local elections, SL poll panel tells apex court

COLOMBO

SRI Lanka's election commission on Monday informed the Supreme Court that it is difficult to conduct the local body polls scheduled for March 9 due to a plethora of reasons linked to the country's current economic crisis.

The lawyers for the commission filed a plea citing the inability expressed by the finance ministry to release the funds required, the government printer's demand of payment in advance for the printing of ballot papers and the reluctance on the part of authorities to enhance the fuel quotas for election work.

The commission also regretted that they were unable to keep to an earlier assurance given by the court that all arrangements would be in place to conduct the election.

The election commission's move was in connection with petitions filed by opposition parties, seeking a court writ ordering the conduct of the polls.

They claimed that the postponement of the poll was a violation of the public right to vote and accused the government of fearing the polls for the possibility of losing the election.

The election to appoint new administrations to 340 local councils for a four-year term has been postponed since March last year due to the ongoing economic crisis.

The Supreme Court would hear a petition calling for the postponement of the election on February 23.

The ruling Sri Lanka Podujana Peramuna (SLPP) won the majority of councils in the last election held in 2018.

The party which has suffered major splits since the economic crisis is accused of fearing the election and wanting to postpone it. *PTI*

Biden's high-risk Kyiv trip was shrouded in secrecy

Visit marks rare occasion when US prez went to a conflict zone where the US or its allies did not have control over airspace

KYIV/WASHINGTON

US President Joe Biden walks with Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky at St Michael's Golden-Domed Cathedral in Kyiv | AFP

US President Joe Biden on Monday made a surprise visit to Kyiv in a defiant display of Western solidarity with Ukraine, days before the first anniversary of the Russian invasion.

"As the world prepares to mark the one-year anniversary of Russia's brutal invasion of Ukraine, I am in Kyiv today to meet with President Zelensky and reaffirm our unwavering and unflagging commitment to Ukraine's democracy, sovereignty, and territorial integrity. When Putin launched his invasion nearly one year ago, he thought Ukraine was weak and the West divided. He thought he could outlast us. But he was dead wrong," Biden said.

Speculation has been building for weeks that Biden would pay a visit to Ukraine around the February 24 anniversary of the Russian invasion.

But to get him there had required an extraordinary military, diplomatic and media choreography. At the heart of the mission was elaborate misdirection. Saturday, Biden attended afternoon church, followed by a visit to the National Museum of American History, then dinner at a cozy restaurant. Sunday? The White House declared a day of rest with nothing on his schedule.

Or so the world — including the hundreds of journalists assigned to cover the White House — was led to believe.

Biden quietly departed from Joint Base Andrews near Washington at 4.15 a.m. on Sunday, making a stop at Ramstein Air Base in Germany before making his way into Ukraine. He arrived in Kyiv at 8 a.m. on Monday.

He traveled with an usually small entourage, with just a few senior aides and two journalists, to maintain secrecy.

Though Western surface-to-air missile systems have bolstered Ukraine's defensives, the visit marked the rare occasion when a US president has traveled to a conflict zone where the US or its allies did not have control over the airspace.

While Biden was in Ukraine, US surveillance planes, including E-3 Sentry airborne radar and an electronic RC-135W Rivet Joint aircraft, were keeping watch over Kyiv from Polish airspace.

The United States gave a heads up to Moscow "hours" ahead of Biden's "risky" surprise trip to Kyiv on Monday to avoid any chance of conflict, a senior White House aide said.

Sullivan said the trip "required a security operational and logistical effort from professionals across the US government to take what was an inherently risky undertaking and make it a manageable level of risk."

Only two journalists were allowed to accompany. After handing over their devices, journalists were made aware of his presence on Air Force One just 15 minutes before the plane took off. *Agencies*

Big protests in Israel as MPs set to vote on court reforms

TEL AVIV

TENS of thousands of Israelis protested on Monday against the government's judicial reform bill which they say threatens democracy, as lawmakers ready for a key vote on the controversial overhaul.

Demonstrators from across Israel descended on Jerusalem to rally near parliament ahead of the first reading of legislation to change the way judges are picked. "I'm really worried," said paediatrician Adi Aran, protesting with a stethoscope around her neck. The proposed reform, which would give elected representatives more control of the judicial system, might stop Israel from being "a state my children can live in", added Aran. Police officers guarded barriers in Jerusalem to prevent protesters, many of them waving Israeli flags, from reaching parliament. Israel's Channel 12 estimated the crowd at 30,000, while an organiser told journalists he hoped the crowd would swell later on in the day. A protest convoy of dozens of cars drove along the highway to Jerusalem, while in northern Tel Aviv an AFP correspondent saw some 4,000 parents, students and teachers rallying. *AFP*

6.4 MAGNITUDE

FRESH QUAKE HITS TURKEY, TREMORS FELT IN SYRIA, LEBANON

ANTAKYA

A 6.4-magnitude earthquake was recorded Monday in Turkey's southern province of Hatay, the hardest hit by a February 6 tremor which left more than 41,000 dead in the country, the disaster response agency AFAD said.

The quake hit the town of Defne at 8:04 pm (local time) and was strongly felt by AFP teams in Antakya and Adana, 200 kilometres to the north.

An AFP journalist reported scenes of panic, adding that the new tremors raised clouds of dust in the devastated town.

The walls of badly damaged buildings crumbled while several people, apparently injured, called for help.

According to AFAD, more than 6,000 aftershocks have been recorded since the 7.8-magnitude quake hit Turkey and Syria.

"You don't know what to do... we grabbed each other and right in front of us, the walls started to fall. It felt like the earth was opening up to swallow us up."

Mazlum, who has lived in Antakya for 12 years, was looking for the bodies of his sister and her family as well as his brother-in-law and his family.

"This one just fell," a rescuer said, referring to a collapsed building.

Hatay province is on the Mediterranean Sea and the disaster agency said the sea level could rise by 50 centimetres, warning people to stay away from the coast. AFP correspondents in the city of Aleppo, Syria's second city, said people flocked to the streets after the new quake. The February 6 earthquake killed more than 41,000 people in Turkey and at least 3,680 in Syria. *AFP*

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform the General Public that **SRI. HANUMANTHA SWAMY. M.S** has lost the 9th page of original Sale Deed dated 13/03/2013 bearing Document No.10603/2012-13, Book-1, stored in CD No.145, executed by Sri.Thimmappa S/o late Thimmarayappa in favour of Sri.K.S.Ranganath and Smt. Shobha.H.T registered in the office of sub registrar, Gandhinagar (Hesraghatta), Bangalore, pertaining to the schedule property. In case anybody having any claims or in possession of the said document, shall inform the under singed and handover the same **within SEVEN DAYS** from the date of publication of this notice.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

1) All that piece and parcel of the Property No.09, V.P.Khata No.121/5, situated at Huralichikkanahalli Village, Huralichikkanahalli Village Panchayat, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, measuring East to West : 20 Feet, and North to South 30 Feet, totally measuring 600 Square Feet and bounded on : **East by:** Private Property, **West by :** 30 feet Road, **North by:** Property No.08, **South by :** Property No.10.

2) All that piece and parcel of the Property No.08, V.P.Khata No.121/5, situated at Huralichikkanahalli Village, Huralichikkanahalli Village Panchayat, Hesaraghatta Hobli, Yelahanka Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, measuring East to West : 20 Feet, and North to South 30 Feet, totally measuring 600 Square Feet and bounded on : **East by :** Private Property, **West by :** 30 feet Road, **North by :** Property No.7, **South by :** Property No.9.

N. JAGADEESH KUMAR, Advocate,
No.276, 2nd Floor, 1st Main Road,
Chamarajpet, Bangalore-560018.

IN THE COURT OF THE XI ADDITIONAL CITY & SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE
P & SC No. 39/2023

BETWEEN: Smt. B.R. GAYATHRI, AGED ABOUT 57 YEARS, W/O. Mr. SURESH K.R., R/AT #31, 2nd MAIN ROAD, SIR M.V. LAYOUT, VIDYARANYAPURA, BANGALORE-560097. ... **PETITIONER**

AND: NIL ... RESPONDENT

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the above named has made Petition to this Court (CCH No.8) under Section 276 of the Indian Succession Act for the grant of Probate of the Will dated 29.01.2021 in favour of the petitioner in respect of schedule mentioned below. The below mentioned schedule has held by Smt. Vijayalakshmi B.R. sister of the petitioner herein who expired on 09.07.2021.

Interested Parties are hereby called upon to appear before this Court in person or by a pleader duly instructed on **24-05-2023** at 11 a.m. inform to show cause against the Petitioner failing wherein, the appearance will be heard and declared as Ex-parte.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing New No. 28/4, Old No. 8, situated at Gollara Oblappa Lane, Mavalli, Bengaluru, measuring East to West: (22'6" + 22)/2 and North to South: 10'6", in all measuring 234.5 square feet and bounded on East by: Road, West by: Property belonging to Sri Papaiah Naidu, North by: Property of Smt. B.R. Gayathri and South by: Property of Smt. Nagarathna.

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on 09-02-2023.

By order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

B.G. SRIRAM, Advocate
No. 65, 13th Main, 4th Block,
Jayanagar, Bangalore-560011.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is for the information that the originals of: (i) Agreement for Sale dated August 19, 2003 executed by Narayanamma and others, represented by their General Power of Attorney Holder, N. Vijay Kumar in favour of Shamsher Puri and Sreedevi Deshpande Puri; (ii) Construction Agreement dated August 19, 2003 executed between Vijaykiran Constructions Pvt. Ltd., Shamsher Puri and Sreedevi Deshpande Puri; and (iii) Sale Deed dated January 07, 2009 executed by Narayanamma and others, represented by their General Power of Attorney Holder, N. Vijay Kumar in favour of Sreedevi Deshpande Puri, registered as Document no. INR-1-00933/2008-09, Book I, CD no. IRD95, in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Indiranagar with regard to Victorian Haven Flat No. 101, situated on the First Floor in A-1 Block, now known as F Block, 139/36 (Municipal No. 139/36, Survey No. 57/5, Patel Rama Reddy Road, Domlur Layout, Bangalore – 560071, has been lost. In this regard, a lost report has been registered on the E-lost report application and acknowledgement received on February 20, 2023. Name of owner:

Mrs. Shreedevi Deshpande Puri,
Residence at No. 205, 2H Main Road,
Kasturi Nagar East NGEF,
Bangalore – 560043.
Contact No - 9845175463

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client intends to Purchase the below said Schedule Property from its owner **Smt.SHEELA S.,** W/o.late P.Shivadasan and **Smt.SARANYA S.,** D/o.late P.Shivadasan, Residing at No:81/82 Gavi Krupa, 2nd Cross, 5th Main, MSR Nagar, **BANGALORE - 560054**. Having acquired the same by way of inheritance. If anyone having Claim right over the Schedule Property may intimate the same to the undersigned within 07 Days failing which it will be deemed that nobody else has claim over the property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of Western portion of the property bearing Site No.95, katha No:1011, which now comes under the jurisdiction of BBMP ward No:25 Rammurthynagar situated at Near Memorial School, Shanthilayout, Kowdenahallai Village, K.R.Pura Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, , measuring East to West:20 feet and North to South 30 feet in all measuring 600 Sq ft. Along with constructed dwelling ground plus first floor house. And bounded on: **East by:** Remaining Portion of same site No:95, **West by:** Site No:96, **North by:** Site No:8, **South by:** Road.

B.B.SUDHIR, Advocate
No:334, 09th Main, 14th Cross,
Indiranagar, BANGALORE-560038
Mob:98450 22593

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I AT BANGALORE
4th Floor, Telephone House, Raj Bhavan Road, Bangalore-560 001.

O.A. No. 356/2021

BETWEEN: STATE BANK OF INDIA, SME Centre, Banaswadi, Bangalore. ... **APPLICANT**

AND : M/s. AZ ENGINEERING ... DEFENDANT

To: DEFENDANT: M/s.AZ ENGINEERING, No.112/5-3, 12th Cross, Doddanna Industrial Estate, Near Peenya 2nd Stage, Hegganahalli, Vishwaneedam Post, Bangalore-560091. Represented by its Proprietor Sri.T.Krishna Prasad

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE) RULE 1996 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendant for recovery of **Rs.22,97,010/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Ninety Seven Thousand and Ten Only)** Inclusive of Interest till 30.01.2021 along with future interest with monthly rests from 31.01.2021 to till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with cost of this proceedings Cash credit Loan facility and covid-19 credit facility and for the reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **29/05/2023** at 10.30 AM in the forenoon in person or pleader/advocate duly instructed has to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 04/01/2023.

By Order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-1, Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client has entered into a Agreement of Sale dated 20-11-2022 agreeing to purchase the Property bearing present BBMP Khatha No.15, PID No. 22-77-15, Old KHB No.816, situated at 61st Cross, 5th Block, Rajajinagar, Old Ward No.22, New Ward No.108, Bangalore, described as the Schedule Property from **Sri. MANJUNATH SINGH,** aged about 68 years, son of late.Shyam Singh, residing at No.816, 61st Cross, 5th Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore – 560 010.

The Public is hereby informed that if anybody have any objections for the above said Sale, they may file their objections along with the related documents to the under signed within One Week from the date of this publication. If no objections have been received within the above time, my Client will proceed to Purchase the Schedule Property as nobody have any objections.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the Property bearing present BBMP Khatha **No.15,** PID No. 22-77-15, Old KHB No.816, situated at **61st Cross, 5th Block, Rajajinagar,** Old Ward No.22, New Ward No.108, Bangalore, measuring

East to West : 25 feet
North to South : 41 feet
In total measuring 1025 square feet.
Bounded on the
East by : Property No.815,
West by : Property No.817,
North by : Road
South by : Property No.789,

Together with building consisting of Ground and Two upper floors.

MAKAM NAGARAJA GUPTA
MAKAM LAW ASSOCIATES
Advocates
No. 429-430, Second Floor
Alankar Pearl Plaza, K.G. Road
Bangalore-560 009

DEMAND NOTICE

Whereas Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as "Arcil") is an Asset Reconstruction company incorporated under the Companies Act, 1956 and registered with the Reserve Bank of India under Section 3 of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"); and Whereas the Borrowers/Mortgagors/ Guarantors/Co-obligants & Consentors, as mentioned in Column No.2 of the below-mentioned chart obtained Loan from **Various Bank** and Whereas Arcil has acquired the financial assets relating to the Loan Account mentioned in Column No.2 of the below-mentioned chart; and Whereas Arcil, being the secured creditor under the Act, and in exercise of powers conferred under S. 13 (2) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued demand notices calling upon the Borrowers/Co-Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors/Co-obligants & Consentors, as mentioned in Column No.2 to repay the amount mentioned in the notices with further interest thereon within 60 days from the date of Notice, but the Notices could not be served upon some of them for various reasons.

Sl. No.	Borrower Name/ Co-Borrower Name / Loan Account no	Total Outstanding in Rs. / Due date	Date of 13(2) Notice
1	**Mr. Chiranjeevi Vijaya Murthypuppala / Six Face Services / Mrs P. Bala Nagaveni / LAN - 4040HL34298165 / 4040HL41026331 / Baja Finance Limited (BFL)**	**Rs. 7289831.00 /- as on 13.12.2022**	**17-Dec-22**
	Secured Property : Property bearing Flat No. 113, Situated on the First Floor, with super built up area of 947 Sq. Ft., in the Apartment known as 'USHAS APARTMENT' having one car parking garage in the Ground Floor, marked as No. 32, together with all rights appurtenances whatsoever along with 440.89 Sq. Ft. (40.96 Sq. Mtrs.) of undivided share, right, title and interest in the property bearing Site No. 26, BBMP New No.27, Byrasandra BBMP Ward No. 60, with PID No. 60-65-27, new PID No. 169-M0144-36-27, 16th Main Road, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore 560011 (formerly bearing Sy. No. 77 of Byrasandra Village) Corporation Division No. 57. **Trust Name :** Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-D- Trust		
2	**Mr. Manjunath T / M/s Shivashakthi Hydraulics / Mrs. S. Kusuma LAN - 404LAP35693409 / Bajaj Finance Limited (BFL)**	**Rs. 6313432.37/- as on 01.02.2023**	**08-Feb-23**
	Secured Property : All that Piece and Parcel of property bearing Site No. 10, B.B.M.P. Khatha No. 1322 of Ward No. 69, Khatha No. 897 of Assessment No. 86, Dasarahalli Nagarasabhe Ward No. 31, Khatha No. 1322 in Dasarahalli Nagarasabhe Office, Laggere Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring East to West 28 Feet and North to South 30 Feet, in total measuring 840 Sq. ft., consisting a R.C.C. roofed residential house and bounded on the :- North: Site No. 9, South: Site No. 11, East: Others Property, West: 20 Feet Road **Trust Name :** Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-D- Trust		
3	**MR. MohammedIdreis / M/s Beauford Creation / Mrs Ayesha Tarannum Idris / LAN - 404ZLH74142685 / Baja Housing Finance Limited (BHFL)**	**Rs. 7161430.10/- as on 01.02.2023**	**08-Feb-23**
	Secured Property : All that Piece and Parcel of immovable property consisting of Ground and First floor built on Site No. 30-KG-147, presently BBMP Khatha No. 83/83/30KG-147, in the layout formed by the Bengaluru Development Authority at 2nd Stage, Hennur Bellary Road Extension (H.B.R. Extension) Bengaluru, presently comes under the jurisdiction of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No. 23 Bangalore, and bounded on the :- North: Road, South: Site No. 30-Kg-129, East: Site No. 30-Kg-146, West: Site No. 30-Kg-148 **Trust Name :** Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-E- Trust		
4	**Mr. Sohan Raj K.M / LAN - 404LHY68957409 / Bajaj Housing Finance Limited (BHFL)**	**Rs. 5709827.63 /- as on 01.02.2023**	**08-Feb-23**
	Secured Property : All that part and parcel of vacant Site bearing No. 4 (Four), in Survey No. 69, situated at Shettihalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, having Khatha No. 258 measuring East to West 50 feet and North to South 30 feet in all measuring 1500 Sq. ft. The property is bounded by :- North: Site No. 3, South: Site No. 5 East: Private Property, West: Road **Trust Name :** Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-E- Trust,		
5	**Mr. Chandranahalli Kalahuchappa Suresh / LAN - 404HSL65134184 & 404HPV65154876 / Bajaj Finance Housing Limited (BHFL)**	**Rs. 1,16,25,991.30/- as on 08.02.2023**	**09-Feb-23**
	Secured Property : Flat bearing No. 301, totally measuring a super built up area of 1855 Sq. ft., Type 3, Situated in 3rd floor in "E" Block , consisting of Three bed rooms in ND Passion Elite Apartment, 575 Sq. ft. undivided right in in converted land bearing (i)Sy. No. 87/1 measuring 1 acre 16 Guntas, (ii) Sy. No. 87/2 measuring 39 Guntas, (iii) Sy. No. 88/2 measuring 18 Guntas, Situated in Kudlu village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk,(total measuring 2 Acres 33 Guntas or 1,23,057 Sq. ft.). **Trust Name :** Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-E-Trust		
6	**Mr. Prashanth / LAN -405HSO86681992 & 405HSW91057925 / Bajaj Finance Housing Limited (BHFL)**	**Rs. 39,05,198.43/- as on 09.02.2023**	**09-Feb-23**
	Secured Property : Apartment Flat No. 409 on Third Floor in Block '1' measuring Super Built area of 1018 Sq. ft. in the building MAHAVEER WILLOW ANNEXE 1.03% undivided right, title and interest in the converted land bearing Sy. No. 115, measuring 1 Acre 10 Guntas situated at Valagerahalli Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Now bearing B.B.M.P. Khatha No. 4520/115 measuring 54,450 Sq. ft., situated at Valagerahalli Village, Kengeri Sub-Division, Ward No. 130, Ullalu, Bangalore **Trust Name :** Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-E-Trust		
7	**Mr. Syed Shahabuddin / Shanawaz Bano / LAN - 5I5RML76446685 / Bajaj Housing Finance Limited (BHFL)**	**Rs. 27,62,821.73/- as on 09.02.2023**	**09-Feb-23**
	Secured Property : All that piece and parcel of property bearing New Municipal Door No. 58/54/1 (Old Door No. 58/54), New Municipal Khata No. 67/1, (Old Khata No. 67), Item No. 1 measuring East to West 29 feet and North to South 8 feet and Item No. 2 measuring East to West 17 feet and North to South 31 feet having residential house constructed therein situated at C.K. Road, Ward No. 21, Channapatna Town, Ramanagara District and bounded on the; East : C.K. Cross Road and Property belongs to Mushayak Syed Shaheddin & Nasreen Nijami, West : Property belongs to Saabjaan, North : Property belongs to Mushayak Syed Shaheddin and Shamshuddin S., South : Property belongs to Bank Usman. All that piece and parcel of property bearing New Municipal Door No. 58/54/3 (Old Door No. 58/54), New Municipal Khata No. 67/3, (Old Khata No. 67) measuring East to West 29 feet and North to South 18 feet having residential house constructed therein situated at C.K. Road, Ward No. 21, Channapatna Town, Ramanagara District and bounded on the;- East : C.K. Cross Road, West : Property belongs to Noorjaan, North : Property belongs Nasreen Nijami, South : Property belongs to Noorjaan **Trust Name :** Arcil-Retail Loan Portfolio-042-E-Trust		

Notice is, therefore, given to the Borrowers/Mortgagors/ Guarantors/Co-obligants & Consentors, as mentioned in Column No.2, calling upon them to make payment of the aggregate amount as shown in Column No.3 against the respective Borrowers/Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors, Co-obligants and Consentors within 60 days of publication of this Notice, as the said amount is found payable in relation to the respective Loan Account as on the date shown in Column No.4. It is made clear that if the aggregate amount together with further interest and other amounts, which may become payable till the date of payment, is not paid, Arcil shall be constrained to take appropriate action for enforcement of security interest upon properties as described above. Steps are also being taken for service of notice in other manners as prescribed under the Act and the Rules made thereunder.

Place : Bangalore
Date : 21.02.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Ltd.

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Premier ARC

Asset Reconstruction Company (India) Ltd.,
CIN - U65999MH2002PLC134884, Website : www.arcil.co.in
Registered Office : The Ruby, 10th Floor, 29 Senapati Bapat Marg, Dadar (West), Mumbai – 400 028. Tel: +91 2266581300
Branch Address : Branch Address:- Unit No. No.3, 3rd Floor,Vishishta Arcade, No.2243, 23rd Cross Road, BSK 2nd Stage, Bangalore-560070, Karnataka

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Karnataka Neeravari Nigam Limited
(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
Office of The Executive Engineer, KNNL, No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere.
Ph.: 08192-264669 e-mail: eebcddvg@yahoo.co.in

Short-Term Tender Notice

Ref: No.: EE/KNNL/BCD-5/DVG/PB-6/DVG.SOUTH/2022-23 3256 Dated: 17.02.2023

On behalf of The Managing Director, K.N.N.L., Bengaluru, Executive Engineer, KNNL, No. 5, Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere invites tender through e-portal in two cover system for Works under Head of Account 4701 S.C.P. & T.S.P. as per letter of reference. Eligible contractors should download percentage tender only through e-procurement website (http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in) from 17.02.2023 and submit within 4.00 PM on 27.02.2023. For clarification regarding the Tender on 21.02.2023 up to 4.00 PM. Date of opening technical bid/financial bid: 28.02.2023 at 5.00 PM. Total No. of works: 10. Amount of Work – From Rs. 7.00 lakhs to Rs. 100.00 lakhs. 1)I.no.35730 2) I.no.35727 3) I.no.35731 4) I.no.35732 5) I.no.35725 6)I.no.35841 7) I.no.35842 8) I.no.35729 (Reserved for SC) 9) I.no. 35728 (Reserved for ST) 10) I.no.35726 (Reserved for SC) The undersigned Officer reserves the right to postpone, accept or reject the tenders without assigning any reasons. For further information contact e-procurement portal or the office of the undersigned during office hours.

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Sd/- Executive Engineer, KNNL, No. 5,
Bhadra Canal Division, Davanagere.

THE SECRET OF GETTING AHEAD IS GETTING STARTED › MARK TWAIN

QuoteExpress

GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU
RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PANCHAYAT RAJ DEPARTMENT
District Rural Development Agency, Kancheepuram

RC. No.0274/2023/A15. **Dt. 20 .02.2023**

Notice Inviting Tenders for Supply of Steel Rods for the year 2022-23

1. For full details, visit **www.tntenders.gov.in.**
2. e-bids are invited by the Joint Director/ Project Director, DRDA, of the Kancheepuram District under Two Cover System for supply of steel rods for year 2022-23.
3. The bid documents can be downloaded free of cost in the website **www.tntenders.gov.in** from **21.02.2023** to **23.03.2023.**
4. Last Date and Time for downloading and submission of Bid Documents : **23.03.2023 up to 3.00 pm**
5. Date and Time of online opening of Bid Documents : **23.03.2023 at 4.00 pm**

Joint Director/ Project Director (RD) (I/c),
DRDA, Kancheepuram

DIPR/1077/TENDER/2023

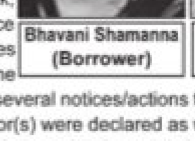
"சோதனை கடந்து சுதந்திரம் அடைந்தோம், சாதனை புரிந்து சரித்திரம் படைப்போம்."

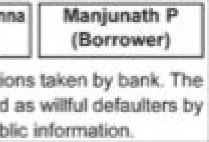
UCO BANK
(A Govt. of India Undertaking)

ZONAL OFFICE,
IInd Floor, # 13/22, Kempegowda Road, Bangalore-560009.

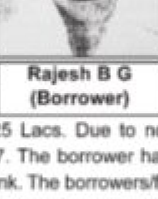
PUBLICATION NOTICE: PHOTOGRAPHS OF WILLFUL DEFAULTERS

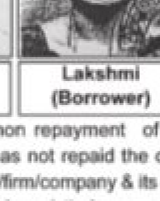
1 **Name of the Borrower: Bhavani Shamanna & Manjunath P**
Address: No.35/3, 4th Cross, 3rd Main Ganesha Block, RT Nagar, Ward No.32, Bangalore-560032.
The account of **Bhavani Shamanna & Manjunath P** was sanctioned with credit limit of Rs.3.00Cr with FB facilities for the purpose of home loan from our Jaynagar 238/35, 9th Main Road, III Block, Jayanagar-560011, presently transferred to AMB, Bangalore, Building No.13/22, 1st Floor, UCO Bank, Kempegowda Road, Bangalore-560009. The present balance outstanding is Rs.2.28 Core. Due to non repayment of dues to the bank the account was declared NPA on 11.05.2017. The borrower has not repaid the dues owed to the bank despite several notices/actions taken by bank. The borrowers/firm/company&its director(s)/promoter(s)/guarantor(s) were declared as willful defaulters by the bank and their name reported to the Credit Information Companies for public information.

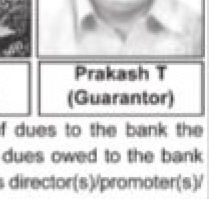

Bhavani Shamanna (Borrower)


Manjunath P (Borrower)

2 **Name of the Borrower: Mr Rajesh B G & Lakshmi**
Address: 127, Punyabhoomi Layout, Bidarahalli, Virgo Nagar Post, Bangalore-560049
The **Mr. Rajesh B G** was sanctioned with credit limit of Rs.30.00 Lacs with facilities FB for purchase of a new BMW luxury Car from our Bidarahalli Branch, No. 147, East Point College Campus, Virgonagar Post, Bidarahalli, Bangalore-560049.
The present balance outstanding is Rs.25 Lacs. Due to non repayment of dues to the bank the account was declared NPA on 30/09/2017. The borrower has not repaid the dues owed to the bank despite several notices/actions taken by bank. The borrowers/firm/company & its director(s)/promoter(s)/ guarantor(s) were declared as willful defaulters by the bank and their name reported to the Credit Information Companies for public information.


Rajesh B G (Borrower)


Lakshmi (Borrower)


Prakash T (Guarantor)

Sd/- Zonal Manager, Zonal Office (Bangalore)

IN THE COURT OF THE PRINCIPAL CIVIL JUDGE, ANEKAL
G & W C No. 5017 / 2022

BETWEEN: MR. V. HARIS MANOVAH, S/o. Mr. Victor Chelliah. A, Aged 41 years, residing at 70/5, 1st Floor, Bhoganalli Main Road, Panathur, Bangalore -560103. ...**PETITIONER**
And: -Nil- ...**RESPONDENT**

Whereas the Petitioner namely **Mr. V. Haris Manovah,** is the father and natural guardian of his minor son namely **LEVIN NATHANIEL MANOVAH,** aged about 8 years and is under the custody of the Petitioner since the sudden death of the mother on 12.07.2017. The above-mentioned Petition is filed under Section 7 of the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890 for seeking permission of Appointment of a Guardian of a Minor, to sell the Minor's property as mentioned in the Schedule herein below for the purpose of the closure of the loan obtained and for the well-being and future prospects of his minor son.

Notice is issued herein to the General Public that in case anybody has any objection for Grant of Custody, he/she can file objections to the same on or before 09.12.2022 failing which the Petition shall be decided in accordance with law.

SCHEDULE PROPERTIES

ITEM No. 1: SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.12, Katha/ Assessment No.1005, formed out of Survey No.116, Converted vide its conversion order No. ALN (EBB) SP: 166/2011-12, Dated:11.05.2012, issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, Bangalore, Situated at Kithiganur Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore. Measuring East to West : 55 Feet and North to South : 30 Feet, in total measuring 1650 Sq.Ft and bounded on the: **East by :** Road, **West by :** Park Area and Road, **North by :** Site No. 11, **South by :** Site No. 13.

ITEM No. 2 : SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY

(Description of the Property owned by the Land Owner (S.R. Constructions)

All that piece and parcel of the undeveloped converted land, bearing Sy.No.60/2 measuring 30 Guntas, Sy.No.60/2 measuring 1 Acre 13 Guntas, Sy.No.51/1 measuring 1 Acre out of 2 Acres, Sy.No.52 measuring 20 Guntas, Sy.No.52 measuring 20 Guntas, Sy.No.53/3 (Old Sy.No.53) measuring 1 Acre 2.8 Guntas, totally measuring 5 Acres 5.8 Guntas, all the lands situated at Sammanahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District, Bangalore.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY (Description of the Property owned by M/s. Mana Projects Pvt Ltd)

All that piece and parcel of the converted land bearing Sy. No.51/1 measuring 1 acre out of 2 Acres, Sy.No.51/1 measuring 16 Guntas, Sy.No.51/2 measuring 1 Acre 14 Guntas and Sy.No.52 measuring 3 Acres 37 Guntas, totally measuring 6 Acres 27 Guntas, all the lands Situated at Samanahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District.

COMPOSITE OF SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the of converted property bearing Sy.No.60/2 measuring 30 Guntas, Sy.No.60/2 measuring 1 Acre 13 Guntas, Sy.No.51/1 measuring 1 Acre, Sy.No.52 measuring 20 Guntas, Sy.No.52 20 Guntas, Sy.No.53/3 (Old Sy.No.53/3) measuring 1 Acre 2.8 Guntas, Sy.No.51/1 measuring 1 Acre, Sy.No.51/1 measuring 16 Guntas, Sy.No.51/2 measuring 1 Acre 14 Guntas, Sy.No.52 measuring 3 Acres 37 Guntas totally measuring 11 Acres 32.08 Guntas all situated at Samanahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and bounded on :East by: Remaining portion of Sy. No. 51 and 91, West by: Sy. No. 59 and 66, North by: Sy. No. 60 and 61, South by: Road and Remaining Portion of Sy. No. 53 and 54.

SCHEDULE 'D' PROPERTY (Schedule of the Plot/Site formed in Schedule 'C' Property)

All that piece and parcel of Plot/site bearing No. 137, vide property **No. 150200102100520395** and as per the plan sanctioned by the Anekal Development Authority vide bearing No **ADA/LAO/81/201314** dated: 05.10.2015, in the layout known as **'MANA FOLIAGE'** measuring East to West 30 Sq.Ft and North to South 50 Sq.Ft and totally measuring 1500 Square Sq.Ft situated at Samanahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District and bounded as follows:- **East by:** Road, **West by:** Site No. 143, **North by:** Site No. 138, **South by:** Site No. 136.

Given under my hand and seal of the court on this the **09th day of February 2023.**

By the Order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, III Addl. Dist & Sessions Judge's Court, Anekal, Bangalore Rural Dist.

JP Darshan, Advocate
No. 29/11, 1st Floor, Udaya Bhavana,
1st Main, Mount Joy Road,
Hanumanthnagar, Bangalore – 560019.

HZL's THL buyout plan hits roadblock

Govt opposes acquisition plan; says ready to explore legal options if proposal taken forward

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

IN a blow to Vedanta Group, the government has opposed Hindustan Zinc (HZL) proposal to acquire Mauritius-THL Zinc for $2.98 billion (an entity of Vedanta Group) over concerns of valuation.

The government, in a letter to HZL, in which it owns 29.54% stake, said it is ready to explore all legal avenues if this proposal is taken forward. THL Zinc Ltd is currently a wholly owned subsidiary of THL Zinc Ventures Ltd, a direct wholly-owned subsidiary of Vedanta Limited.

"Government of India will oppose any proposed resolutions in furtherance of such agenda matter and will explore all legal avenues available to the Government of India in this regard. The company is requested to not take any further action in relation to such resolutions," said the government in a letter to HZL.

Government holds 29.54% stake in Hindustan Zinc Ltd (HZL), while Vedanta owns nearly 65% stake. In the board meeting of HZL on January 19, 2023, the company agreed to acquire THL Zinc Ltd, Mauritius, for a cash consideration not exceeding $2,981 million. The company in an exchange filing said this investment is an attractive opportunity for Hindustan Zinc to grow and increase its foothold overseas and take its brand globally. However, the government urged the Hindustan Zinc to explore cashless methods of acquisition of these assets.

"In the context of proposed resolutions, which envisage the acquisition of THL Zinc (a Vedanta Company) by HZL (also a Vedanta company) thus being a related party transaction, we would like to reiterate our dissent on the matter… We would urge the firm to explore other cashless methods of acquisition of these assets," said the government in a letter.

Meanwhile, Hindustan Zinc, in an exchange filing it had not yet called for the meeting but its board would consider the government's position. "Further, the notice calling the shareholders meeting has not been issued so far."

BoB will continue to lend to Adani: MD & CEO

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

BANK OF BARODA (BoB) will continue to give loans to the Adani Group as long as it satisfies the lender's underwriting standards. Sanjiv Chadha, managing director and chief executive officer of BoB said the lender will consider extending loans to the group for its Dharavi redevelopment project.

Adani Group, with its ₹5, 069 crore bid, won Dharavi redevelopment project in November last year. The chief of public sector lender added that he is not concerned about the market volatility around Adani firm shares. The bank has underwriting standards and it follows them all the time, he said.

The statement comes as a relief for Adani Group as shares of its group companies have suffered a huge crash following a report from US- based short seller Hindenberg Research that alleged share manipulation and irregularities by the ports-to-media conglomerate.

The bank's CEO had earlier said that banks give corporate loans not based on share prices but by book value and assets as collateral.

While announcing its results earlier this month, the public lender had said that it has 'absolutely no concern' about its exposure to the Adani Group. The public sector bank has already said that Adani Group entities are not among one of its largest borrowers.

Adani Ports repays ₹1,500 cr, to clear ₹1K cr debt soon

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

ADANI PORTS & SEZ (APSEZ) on Monday said that they have paid ₹1,500 crore loan and promised to repay another ₹1,000 crore as the embattled conglomerate led by billionaire Gautam Adani is working on a comeback strategy.

Adani Group is trying to overcome the ongoing onslaught triggered by a report by US-based short-seller Hindenburg Research.

Adani Ports and SEZ paid SBI Mutual Funds' due amount of ₹1,500 crore on Monday as scheduled and will also pay another ₹1,000 crore of commercial papers due in March (as per the payment scheme).

"This part prepayment is from the existing cash balance and funds generated from the business operations," the spokesperson said. "This underscores the confidence which the market has placed on the prudent capital and liquidity management plan for the group."

The county's largest private port operator recently said it is considering repaying a debt of about ₹5,000 crore in the next financial year, thereby improving net debt to earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization ratio to about 2.5 times from 13 times currently. APSEZ's cash and cash equivalent were ₹6,257 crore as of December 31, while its net debt was ₹39,277 crore. Adani Group's total net debt was about ₹1.96 lakh crore by the end of the December quarter. This is the second instance in one month when the Adanis have taken a similar step of prepaying loans to silence critics who raise concerns regarding the high leverage of the Group and win back investors' confidence. On February 6, Gautam Adani & family have prepaid loans worth $1.1 billion taken against shares as collateral before the end of its maturity in September 2024.

Despite these actions, Adani Group shares are on a free-fall trajectory, plummeting up to 75%. The group also faced a big setback after Credit Suisse, Citigroup, and Standard Chartered stopped accepting its bonds as collateral and rating agency Moody's downgraded the outlook of four group companies.

Ambuja, ACC to restart ops at 2 plants in HP

Adani group companies ACC and Ambuja Cements will resume operations at two plants in Himachal Pradesh after resolving freight issues in the state. The decision was announced after the 67-day deadlock between the two Adani Group-owned cement plants in the state and truckers' unions over freight charges ended on Monday with the two sides agreeing on new rates. "We are happy to inform that all stakeholders have come together and amicably resolved the ongoing discussions on freight rates in the state of Himachal Pradesh. This outcome is positive for ACC & Ambuja Cements and all the stakeholders involved," said Adani Cement in a statement. *ENS*

Tata Motors to deliver 25,000 XPRES-T EVs to Uber

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

IN one of the largest deals for electric vehicles (EV) in the commercial fleet services, Tata Motors, India's largest carmaker, on Monday signed a MoU with cab aggregator Uber to bring 25,000 XPRES–T EVs into the latter's premium category service.

Tata Motors will be aiding Uber in electrifying their services across Delhi NCR, Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai, Hyderabad, Bengaluru and Ahmedabad. The automaker will begin the deliveries of the cars to Uber fleet partners in a phased manner, starting this month. Shailesh Chandra, MD, Tata Motors Passenger Vehicles said, "The XPRES-T EV is a very attractive option both for customers and operators. While enhanced safety, silent and premium in cabin experience provides the customers with a relaxed ride, the fast charging solution, driving comfort and the cost effectiveness of the EV makes it an attractive business proposition for our fleet partners. This partnership will further cement our market position in the fleet segment."

Prabhjeet Singh, President, Uber India and South Asia said, "It will supercharge transition to zero emissions on Uber platform as we work towards building a sustainable future."

Wipro cuts freshers compensation by 50% amid onboarding delays

UMA KANNAN @ Bengaluru

A month after firing 452 freshers as they performed poorly in assessments, now Wipro has cut candidates' salary who are awaiting to be onboarded from ₹6.5 lakh per annum to ₹3.5 lakh. Candidates have to settle for nearly 50% cut.

This comes amid onboarding delays. In an email to candidates, the company said, "Thank you for completing the Velocity training program successfully. Currently, we have certain project engineer roles available for recruitment with an annual compensation of ₹3.5 lakhs." In a response to a TNIE query, Wipro said, "Our talent is our most valuable asset. We are committed to creating an environment where all our current and future employees are able to build successful careers and realize their goals. In light of the changing macro environment and, as a result, our business needs, we had to adjust our onboarding plans."

"As we work to honour outstanding offers made, current offer creates an immediate opportunity for candidates to start their careers, build expertise and acquire new skills – both via interesting and innovative work that we do, as well as our extensive learning and development programs," it added.

As the world continues to grapple with the economic impact of the pandemic, many big techs and start-ups have resorted to cutting jobs or freezing hiring plans. Amid these times, Wipro has taken a different approach by being willing to onboard the freshers, although at a salary less than what was offered, than bearing the brunt of not honouring the offer letters they have issued, said Aditya Narayan Mishra - MD and CEO of CIEL HR Services.

"Though not all of them will be happy with this revised pay situation, the firm is cutting costs and building workforce for the future by gaining some loyal employees because of how they have decided to onboard the candidates now, without further delaying the process," he added.

R-ADAG's Tony Jesudasan passes away at age of 71

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @Mumbai

TONY JESUDASAN, Anil Ambani's key lieutenant at Reliance Anil Dhirubhai Ambani Group (R-ADAG), passed away early Monday morning at the age of 71. He was suffering from heart ailments, and was under treatment.

Jesudasan, who was the group president for corporate communications and corporate affairs of R-ADAG, continued to be in critical care till his passing away at around 5 am on Monday.

An MBA from FMS, Delhi, he was invited by Dhirubhai Ambani to join the then undivided Reliance back in 1990. Post Dhirubhai's death, Jesudasan, Jesudasan, also known as TJ, chose to join the younger sibling when brothers Mukesh and Anil split. He remained Anil Ambani's trusted lieutenant in Delhi and was his chief troubleshooter. Jesudasan had the rare ability to think and function calmly under great pressure and had longstanding relationships across the political spectrum, businesspersons and media.

Earlier this month, Jesudasan had suffered a heart attack just as he took a flight from Bhopal, sources said.

Jesudasan was rushed to Fortis Hospital on arrival in Delhi, where he underwent angioplasty. He was then shifted to Medanta Hospital in Gurugram.

Cable operators move HC over new pricing regime

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE face-off between television broadcasters and cable operators over new pricing regime has reached courts as the Kerala high court on Monday held an urgent hearing on a request made by the All Indian Digital Cable Federation (AIDCF).

AIDCF; the apex body for digital multi system operators (MSOs) and its members include Asianet Satellite Communications, Hathway Cable and Den Networks; has approached the court to challenge Telecom Regulatory Authority of India's (TRAI) new tariff order (NTO 3.0). The new tariff order, which came into effect from February 1, 2023, were allowed broadcasters to hike the price of channels that are part of a bouquet to ₹19 from ₹12 earlier.

The broadcasters had issued notices to cable operators to sign reference interconnect offer (RIO) for new tariff order 3.0 issued by TRAI. However, the cable operators are reluctant to raise price citing they have already lost much of their business to DTH and OTT platforms. Any increase in prices of channels shown via cable TV platforms will dent their business as their subscribers will migrate to DTH and OTT platforms. When cable operators refused to comply, broadcasters like Zee Entertainment, Star and Sony Pictures blocked access to their channels.

AIDCF, in its petition claimed that the TRAI has failed to regulate the pricing of television channels or cap their prices. In a counter, TRAI in an affidavit had contended that the federation has not shown how it was affected by the regulation or tariff order and therefore, it had no locus standi to challenge them.

TRAI to bring out paper on digital inclusion

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

THE Telecom Regulatory Authority of India (TRAI) will soon bring out a consultation paper to further strengthen digital inclusion in the country, said TRAI Chairman PD Vaghela on Monday.

Vaghela on the sidelines of India Digital Summit 2023, organised by Internet and Mobile Association of India (IAMAI) said the upcoming consultation paper is expected to look at three key aspects -- devices, connectivity and literacy. "We are planning to come out with a paper to address and look at digital inclusion," said Vaghela. The TRAI chief outlined eight crucial challenges and said increased emphasis on these would accelerate digital momentum in next 25 years.

Writs pile up in courts as businesses face problem in availing tax credit

MONIKA YADA @New Delhi

WRITS are piling up in different high courts (HCs) as several businesses are unable to avail the input tax credit (ITC) due to a provision of GST law which requires a taxpayer to reverse the ITC availed if any of its vendors has failed to pay GST.

In a recent writ filed in HC, Mumbai-based event management company Erfolg has challenged the constitutional validity of the provisions.

As per experts, in aggregate the amount involved in such cases would be quite high as many have filed writ petitions in courts across the country. However, TNIE couldn't find out the exact number of such cases but experts affirmed many such cases have surfaced. "There have been several cases where tax has not been paid by the vendor and the credit was availed by the recipient after duly paying consideration and the GST. In such cases, the statute requires the recipient to reverse the credit and this poses great difficulty on the recipient as the recipient has already paid the entire amount along with tax to the vendor," Abhishek A Rastogi, founder at Rastogi Chambers, who is arguing on provisions that require reversal of tax paid by recipient, duly complied with all payment formalities.

Airline traffic improves, IndiGo's market share dips

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @New Delhi

INDIA'S domestic air passenger traffic nearly doubled to 1.25 crore as against 64.08 lahk recorded in the year-ago month, according to official data released by the DGCA on Monday.

India's passenger traffic was at a similar level of 1.25 crore in January 2019, the pre-covid month.

However, on a month-on-month basis, domestic traffic took a dip of 2%, passenger count stood at over 1.27 crore in December 2022.

This sequential decline in traffic comes at a time when domestic airlines are aggressively expanding their fleet size. Tata Group's Air India recently made an order to buy 470 planes while other airlines such as IndiGo, Akasa and GoFirst are expected to add new planes.

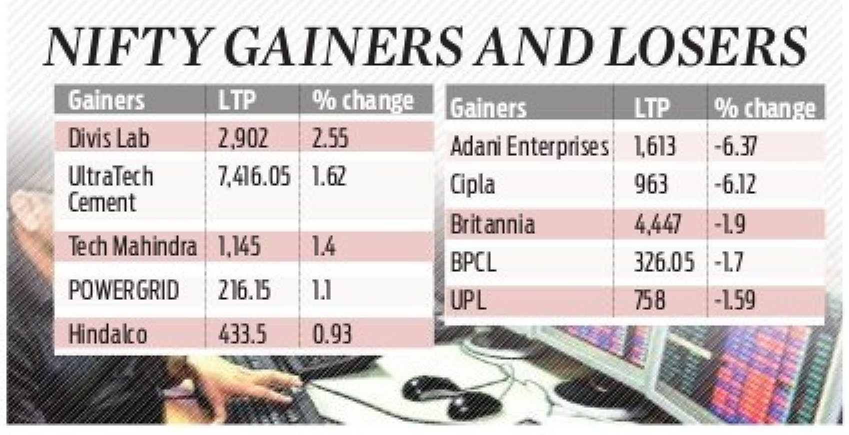
IndiGo, India's largest carrier, saw its domestic market share decline for the fifth consecutive month at 54.6%. It carried 68.47 lakh passengers last month.

In August last year, IndiGo had a market share of 59.72% and since then it has been conceding its share to the newly launched Akasa Air and other players.

Akasa's share in the domestic market grew to 2.8% in January as against a share of 1.8% in the October-December quarter.

Since its launch in August 2022, Akasa Air has crossed the milestone of operating over 600 weekly flights with an announced network of 23 routes connecting 14 cities.

Air India and Vistara carried 11.55 lakh and 11.05 lakh passengers, respectively, in January, with a market share of 9.2% and 8.8%, respectively.



NIFTY GAINERS AND LOSERS

Gainers	LTP	% change
Divis Lab	2,902	2.55
UltraTech Cement	7,416.05	1.62
Tech Mahindra	1,145	1.4
POWERGRID	216.15	1.1
Hindalco	433.5	0.93

Gainers	LTP	% change
Adani Enterprises	1,613	-6.37
Cipla	963	-6.12
Britannia	4,447	-1.9
BPCL	326.05	-1.7
UPL	758	-1.59

Domestic equity market extends losses; Sensex, Nifty down 0.50%

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

DOMESTIC equity market extended its losses on Monday as benchmark indices gave up early gains owing to extensive selling seen across banking and financial stocks.

The BSE Sensex index fell 311 points, or 0.51%, to settle at 60,692, while the Nifty50 closed at 17,845, down 100 points or 0.56%. Adani Enterprises, Cipla, Britannia, BPCL and UPL were among the biggest laggards on the Nifty pack. Shares of Divi's Lab, Ultratech Cement, Tech Mahindra, Power Grid and Hindalco inched forward. Shares of Cipla, the pharmacy giant, fell nearly 7% amidst reports that the company's Pithampur unit received eight observations after a visit by US drug regulator officials. Adani Enterprises fell another 6%, taking the total fall to over 53%, in one month.

Shrikant Chouhan, head of Equity Research (Retail) at Kotak Securities, said drubbing in banking stocks dragged down the markets today, which languished in the negative territory for a major part of the trading session. HDFC twins, SBI, ICICI Bank and Kotak Mahindra fell over 1% each. Nifty Bank fell 430 points to 40,702. In the broader market, BSE midcap index closed 29 points and BSE Small Cap closed 44 points lower.

"Factors such as likely pain going ahead due to rate hikes, rising inflation, and the Adani saga continue to weigh on investors' minds. Stocks are still expensive as against China and hence investors are taking this opportunity to curb their holdings," he said.

Markets in Japan, South Korea, Hong Kong and China ended positive on Monday.

EPFO gives last chance to opt for higher pension

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

THE Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) has given one last chance to subscribers who missed out on opting for higher contribution towards the pension scheme. The retirement and pension body has started the procedure to allow members to jointly opt for higher pension (with the employer) as per the EPS Amendment Act, 2014. It has given a link on its website for employees and employers to contribute 8.33% of the actual salary, rather than the maximum pensionable salary of ₹15,000 a month, to avail higher pension.

The EPFO said each application will be digitally logged and a receipt number provided. The application will land in the employer's log-in, which will have to be verified with digital signature for further processing.

The method of deposit and the calculation of pension will follow through a subsequent circular.

The 2014 amendment had given members six months to opt for higher pension based on actual salary. However, some could not avail it as they were unaware of the timelines. They moved court, and the Supreme Court through a November 4, 2022 order gave eligible subscribers additional four months (from the date of the order) to opt for higher pension. The four-month extension ends on March 4, 2023.

ಚಾಮರಾಜನಗರ ಜಿಲ್ಲಾ ಸಹಕಾರಿ ಹಾಲು ಉತ್ಪಾದಕರ ಸಂಘಗಳ ಒಕ್ಕೂಟ ನಿಯಮಿತ

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02	Providing Transportation Services to Supply Sachet Milk from CHAMUL to Different destinations Within Chamarajanagar District on Biennial Rate Contract Basis.	IFT NO:CHAMUL/MKT/ DTC/03/2022-23
03	Providing Transportation Services to Supply Milk & Milk Products Through Refrigerated Vehicles from CHAMUL to Tirupur dist, Tamilnadu.	IFT NO:CHAMUL:MKTG/ SACHET MILK/ TRPT 001:2022-23

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ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥಾಪಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು

Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.

Regd. Off : "Udaya ahakara Bhavana", # 29/11, 1st Main,
Mount Joy Road, Hanumanthanagar, Bengaluru-19.

POSSESSION NOTICE Appendix IV [Rule 8(1)

For immovable property mortagage to **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Ltd.,** whereas The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Udaya Souharda Credit Co-operative Society Ltd, under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a demand notice dated **18.04.2022** calling upon the borrower mentioned herein below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **14th day of FEBRUARY of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,** for an amount mentioned below and interest thereon.

You are further requested to note that as per Section 13(13) of The SARFAESI ACT, 2002, you are RESTRAINED/PROHIBITED from disposing of or dealing with the Secured Asset, without prior written consent of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DETAILS OF THE LOAN ACCOUNT : Name of the Borrower : Smt. SUMA PRADEEP W/o. Sri. PRADEEP KUMAR .H .R, Date of Demand Notice Under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI ACT, 2002. **18.04.2022.**

Amount in Demand Notice : Rs.1,01,52,506/- (Rupees One Crore One Lakh Fifty Two Thousand Five Hundred and Six Only)

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

SCHEDULE - 1 : All that piece and parcel of the Schedule Property bearing Vacant Site No.21/C,converted Land bearing Sy. No. 240/4,vide conversion order No. ALN(S) SR(K)177/2009-10,dated 03/05/2010,situated at Halagevaderahalli Village, Kengari Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and the said schedule property now comes under the administrative jurisdiction and control of BBMP, Ward No. 160, Rajarajeshwarinagar Sub-Division, Bangalore, Vide BBMP Katha No. 1037/240/4/1 and Measuring Follows: East to West:90 feet and North to South: 25 feet in Totally measuring 2250 sq feet Bounded on: East By: Road, West By: Sy No.242/1, North By: Site No.21/B, South By: Site No.21/D.

Date: 14.02.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer
Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd,

KARNATAKA POWER TRANSMISSION CORPORATION LIMITED

(CIN: U40109KA1999SGC025521)

No. SEE/EE/Tr/W&M/DVG/AEE-1/F-114/22-23/CYS-148 **Date: 20.02.2023**

TENDER NOTIFICATION (e-Procurement mode only)

KPTCL invites E-Tenders in the prescribed form from Reputed **Electrical Contractor possessing Super Grade Electrical Contractor** License for the following works on Partial Turnkey Basis.

1) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/W&M/DVG/EE/AEE-1/22-23/82 Call-2/Dated: 16.02.2023 for Providing Two Nos. of PCVCB 11KV Breakers at 66/11KV MUSS Mellekatte in TL & SS Division, Davanagere for bifurcation of over loaded Feeders.

2) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/W&M/DVG/EE/AEE-1/22-23/68 Call-2/Dated: 16.02.2023 for Providing Two Nos. additional 11KV PCVCB Breakers at 66/11KV MUSS Sokke in 400KV GI/AI Station Division, KPTCL, Hiremallanahole.

3) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/W&M/DVG/EE/AEE-1/22-23/67 Call-2/Dated: 16.02.2023 for Providing Two Nos. of 11KV PCVCB Breaker for bifurcation of over loaded Feeders at 66/11KV MUSS Mayakonda in TL & SS Division, KPTCL, Davanagere.

4) Bid Enquiry No. KPTCL/SEE/W&M/DVG/EE/AEE-1/22-23/80 Call-2/Dated: 16.02.2023 for Providing Two Nos. of PCVCB 11KV Breakers at 66/11KV MUSS Attigere in TL & SS Division, Davanagere for bifurcation of over loaded Feeders.

Tenders will be accepted through **e-Procurement Mode** Only. For further details, prospective Bidders are advised to log on to website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** and click on to hyperlink **e-procurement-kptcl** or **https://kptcl.karnataka.gov.in** to participate in e-procurement portal on or after **21.02.2023.**

Sd/- **Superintending Engineer (Ele), Transmission (W&M) Circle, KPTCL, Near Stadium, Hadadi Road, Davanagere. Ph: 08192-250774.**

Mysore District Co-Operative Milk Producers'Societies Union Ltd.,

Bannur Road, Alanahalli Post, Mysuru-570028.
Phone No. 0821-2474475, Fax No.0821-2474476,
e - mail : purmymul@gmail.com

Tender Notification (Through e-procurement only)

Mysore Dist. Co-Op Ltd Milk Union Ltd., Mysore Invites tender from eligible Tenderers for the Supply of the following materials / services through e-procurement portal. For the tender document please visit e-procurement platform at **www.eproc.karnataka.gov.in**

Sl No	Tender Notification No.	Items(Details)	Last Date for Submission of Tender
1	IFT No:100-293/ MYMUL/PUR/2023	Co-packing of 35000 ltrs of Milk & 2000 kgs of curd in different sachet sizes in Chennai City	14.03.2023 before 5:00PM
2	KMF/2022-23/ IND10732	Supply of Firewood on Annual Rate Contract Basis	18.03.2023 before 5:00PM
3	KMF/2022-23/ IND10734	Supply of Fodder Maize, Sugar and Veterinary Hematology Analyzer System	28.02.2023 before 5:00PM
4	IFT No.1029: ADMN: Tender:2023	Tenders are invited from eligible labour contractors for piece contract / service contract for a period of two years in Mysore Mega Dairy.	24.02.2023 before 5:00PM

For further information please contact Manager (purchase) during working hours. (Mobile No: 6366430803).

Sd/-
Managing Director
Mysore District Co-Operative Milk Union Ltd.,

Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.

Regd. Off : "Udaya ahakara Bhavana", # 29/11, 1st Main,
Mount Joy Road, Hanumanthanagar, Bengaluru-19.

POSSESSION NOTICE Appendix IV [Rule 8(1)

For immovable property mortagage to **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Ltd.,** whereas The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Udaya Souharda Credit Co-operative Society Ltd, under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued a demand notice dated **18.04.2022** calling upon the borrower mentioned herein below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **14th day of FEBRUARY of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,** for an amount mentioned below and interest thereon.

You are further requested to note that as per Section 13(13) of The SARFAESI ACT, 2002, you are RESTRAINED/PROHIBITED from disposing of or dealing with the Secured Asset, without prior written consent of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DETAILS OF THE LOAN ACCOUNT : Name of the Borrower : Sri. SATISH CHANDRA .P.S S/o. Sri. P.D. SHENDRE Date of Demand Notice Under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI ACT, 2002, **18.04.2022.**

Amount in Demand Notice : Rs.1,01,93,806/- (Rupees One Crore One Lakh Ninety Three Thousand Eight Hundred and Six Only)

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

SCHEDULE - 1 : All that piece and parcel of the Schedule Property bearing Vacant Site No. 21/B, converted Land bearing Sy. No. 240/4,vide conversion order No. ALN(S) SR(K)177/2009-10, dated 03/05/2010, Situated at Halagevaderahalli village, Kengari Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and the said schedule property now comes under the administrative jurisdiction and control of BBMP,Word No.160,Rajarajeshwarinagar Sub-Division,Bangalore,Vide BBMP Katha No. 1037/240/4/1 and Measuring Follows: East to West: 90 feet and North to South: 25 feet in Totally measuring 2250 sq feet Bounded on: East By: Road, West By: Sy No.242/1,North By: Site No. 21/A, South By: Site No.21/C.

Date: 14.02.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer
Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd,

Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.

Regd. Off : "Udaya ahakara Bhavana", # 29/11, 1st Main,
Mount Joy Road, Hanumanthanagar, Bengaluru-19.

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The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **14th day of FEBRUARY of the year 2023.**

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,** for an amount mentioned below and interest thereon.

You are further requested to note that as per Section 13(13) of The SARFAESI ACT, 2002, you are RESTRAINED/PROHIBITED from disposing of or dealing with the Secured Asset, without prior written consent of **Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd.,**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DETAILS OF THE LOAN ACCOUNT : Name of the Borrower : Sri. BHANU PRASAD .S S/o. Sri. B.K. SHAMMANNA, Date of Demand Notice Under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI ACT, 2002, **18.04.2022.**

Amount in Demand Notice : Rs. 1,01,25,729/- (Rupees One Crore One Lakh Twenty Five Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Nine Only)

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(Details of mortgaged properties of the Borrower)

SCHEDULE - 1 : All that piece and parcel of the Schedule Property bearing Vacant Site No. 21/A,converted Land bearing Sy. No. 240/4,vide conversion order No. ALN(S) SR(K)177/2009-10, dated 03/05/2010,situated at Halagevaderahalli Village, Kengari Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and the said schedule property now comes under the administrative jurisdiction and control of BBMP,Word No.160,Rajarajeshwarinagar Sub-Division, Bangalore, Vide BBMP Katha No.1037/240/4/1 and Measuring Follows: East to West: 90 feet and North to South: 25 feet in Totally measuring 2250 sq feet Bounded on: East By: Road, West By: Sy. No.242/1, North By: Remaining Land of Sy. No.240/4, South By: Site No.21/B.

Date: 14.02.2022
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-Authorised Officer
Udaya Souharda Credit Co-Operative Society Ltd,

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सेन्ट्रल बैंक ऑफ़ इंडिया
Central Bank of India

CENTRAL BANK OF INDIA

Regional Office, 2nd Floor, Grand Majestic Mall, No. 12, 2nd Cross, Gandhi nagar,
Bangalore - 560 009. Branch : Cantonment, Bengaluru

APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to rule 8 (6)]
SALE CUM E-AUCTION NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Central Bank of India, (Secured Creditor), will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" (Exclusive of Furniture / Fixture / Stocks / Movables) basis on **27.03.2023** through online web portal **(https:// www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/ibapi/indes.jsp)**, for recovery of below mentioned amount dues to the Central Bank of India, Secured Creditor from the below mentioned Borrowers and Guarantors/Mortgagors. **The Reserve Price & EMD and other details as below table.** For Detailed terms and conditions of the Sale, please refer to the link provided in secured creditor's web site **www.centralbankofindia.co.in**. Last date of deposit of EMD will be **24.03.2023.**

Name of Borrowers & Guarantors / Mortgagors Branch Name	Amount Outstanding	Description of Property	Reserve Price	EMD	Bid Increment Amount	Other Encum brance	Date of Visit & Contact person details
Mr. Manjunath Gundanna **Branch Name: Bangalore cantonment** **Possession Type: Physical**	**Rs. 59,65,104/-** as on 28.04.2021 + further interest thereon	All that piece and parcel of immovable property bearing BBMP Khata No. 656/1242/84/2/24, Site No. 24, situated within the limits of BBMP, Ward No. 193, Thayappa Layout, Arekere Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South, Bangalore -560076, measuring East to West : (40+42)/2 Feet and North to South : 45 Feet, total admeasuring 1845 Sq. ft. and **bounded on East By** : Road, **West by :** Krishna Reddy Property, **North By** : Site No 15, **South By** : Site No. 25	**Rs. 1,16,28,000/-** **The property shall be sold only above the reserve price.**	**Rs. 11,63,000/-**	**Rs. 10,000/-**	Not Known to Bank	**24.03.2023** **Mr. Vivek Kumar Singh 95388 93703**

This may also be treated as notice under Rule 8(6) / Rule 9(1) of security (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 to the Borrower/s and Guarantor/s of the said loan about the holding of e-Auction sale on the above date.

For participating in the E-auction sale, the intending bidders should register their details with the service provider **https://mstcecommers.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp** well in advance and shall get user ID & password. Intending bidders advised to change only the password. Bidder may visit **https://mstcecommers.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp** for educational videos. For detailed terms & conditions of sale, please refer to the link provided Bank's **website:www.centralbankofindia.co.in.**

Bidder will register on **website https://mstcecommers.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp** and upload KYC documents and after verification of KYC documents by the service provider, EMD to be deposited in Global EMD wallet through NEFT/transfer (after generation for Challan from **https://mstcecommers.com/auctionhome/ibapi/index.jsp.**

The highest and successful bidder should pay the 25% of the bid amount (including EMD amount) on the same or next day of auction. EMD amount shall be forfeited, if the successful bidder fails to pay the 25% of the bid amount within the next day of auction. The entire bid amount should be paid within 15 days of the confirmation of sale. Failure to pay the bid amount within the stipulated time will lead to forfeiture of the amount already paid.

Sale Certificate shall be issued only in the name/s of the person/s who has/have submitted the bid, not in the name of any other person/s. Successful bidder shall bear the registration costs/stamp duty or any other cost applicable.

The Terms & conditions shall be strictly as per the provisions of the security interest Rules (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

STATUTORY 30 DAYS SALE NOTICES UNDER RULE 8(6)/RULE 9(1) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002 FOR PROPERTIES

Date: 20.02.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/-
Authorised Officer

Can Fin Homes Ltd

JAYANAGAR BRANCH

No. 69, (Old No 35), 12th Main,
Jayanagar, Bangalore -560011
Ph: 080-26630776/26630501/26654305,
Mob: 7625079101
E-mail Id: jayanagar@canfinhomes.com
CIN:L85110KA1987PLC008699

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8 (1)]

(For Immovable Property)

The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd. under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 and in exercise of the powers under the said Act and Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, issued a demand notice dated 02.11.2022 calling upon the borrowers **Mr. K S RAJESH & Mrs. SHREEMANI** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs.**11,92,949**/- with further interest at contractual rates, till date of realization within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security InterestEnforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **15th day of FEBRUARY 2023.**

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of CFHL for an amount of **Rs.11,92,949**/- and interest thereon .

Description of immovable property

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Site No.35, Khatha No.8 & 9, Situated at Vaderahalli Village, Jigani Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet in all totally measuring 1200 square feet and bounded on the East by : Road, West by : Site No.18, North by : Site No.36, South by : Road

Date: 20.02.2023
Place : Bengaluru

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Can Fin Homes Ltd.,

RAICHUR POWER CORPORATION LIMITED

(A JOINT VENTURE COMPANY OF KPCL & BHEL)
2X800MW YERAMARUS THERMAL POWER STATION
CIN: U40101KA2009PLC049582

No. KPCL/2022-23/PS/WORK_INDENT 13473 **Date: 20.02.2023**

ABSTRACT BID NOTIFICATION

(Two Cover System) (Through e-Procurement Portal Only)

Tenders are invited from experienced and competent contractors for the work of **Operation and Maintenance Contract for 2X800 MW Coal based Yeramarus Thermal Power Station (YTPS) for a period of Thirty Six (36) months at Chikkasugur.** Last date for receipt of the completed bids: **Up to 17.00 Hrs. on 07.03.2023.** The brief bid notification containing Pre-qualification criteria for the bidders and other details can be accessed from GoK e-procurement portal. The tender documents can be downloaded from the website: **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** Further details can be had from the **Chief Engineer (O&M) & Project Head,** YTPS, RPCL, Chikkasugur - 584134. Raichur Dist. Karnataka State. Mobile: 94482 90578. e-mail: ceomytpsrpcl@gmail.com Website: https://eproc.kpcl.karnataka.gov.in

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ಶ್ರೀ ಚಾಮರಾಜೇಂದ್ರ ಮೃಗಾಲಯ, ಮೈಸೂರು

ಉಪ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ ಮತ್ತು ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ, ಮೈಸೂರು.

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಎಂವೈಜೆಡ್/ಆಹಾರ ಸಾಮಗ್ರಿ/ಯೂನಿಟ್-4/2022-23 ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20.02.2023

ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ (ಇ-ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪದ್ಧತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತ್ರ)

ಈ ಕಛೇರಿ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20.02.2023ರಲ್ಲಿ ಮೃಗಾಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ನೋಂದಾಯಿಸಿರುವ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರುಗಳಿಂದ **ಶ್ರೀ ಚಾಮರಾಜೇಂದ್ರ ಮೃಗಾಲಯದ ಪ್ರಾಣಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಯೂನಿಟ್-4ರ ಆಹಾರ ಧಾನ್ಯಗಳನ್ನು 12 ತಿಂಗಳಿಗೆ ಸರಬರಾಜು ಮಾಡಲು** ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಷರತ್ತುಗಳಿಗೆ ಒಳಪಟ್ಟು ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ (https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in (Dept: selection Zoo Authority) ಇ-ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮೂಲಕ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸುವ ದಿನಾಂಕ ಹಾಗೂ ಇತರೆ ವಿವರಗಳನ್ನು ಇ-ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ **https://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ವಾವಾಸಂಇ/ಮೈಸೂರು/ಹಿಡಿ ಸಾಯ/1051/2022-23

ಸಹಿ/- ಉಪ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ
ಮತ್ತು ಕಾರ್ಯನಿರ್ವಾಹಕ ನಿರ್ದೇಶಕರು

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ಜೆ.ಎಲ್.ಬಿ ರಸ್ತೆ, ಮೈಸೂರು – 570005, ದೂರವಾಣಿ/ಫ್ಯಾಕ್ಸ್: 0821–2420624

ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ: ಮೈನಪ್ರಾ/ಅಅ/ಪಿಬಿ/ಟಿಎನ್/18/2022–23 ದಿನಾಂಕ:14.02.2023

ಅಲ್ಪಾವಧಿ ಇ–ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆ
(ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ ಮಾತ್ರ)

ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ಸಾರ್ವಜನಿಕ ಸಂಗ್ರಹಣೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾರದರ್ಶಕತೆ ಅಧ್ಯಾದೇಶ 1999–2000ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಆಕ್ಟ್ 2000 ರ ನಿಯಮದಂತೆ ಸ್ಟಾಂಡರ್ಡ್ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಡಾಕ್ಯುಮೆಂಟ್ ನಿಯಮದನ್ವಯ ಇ–ಪ್ರಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ ಮುಖಾಂತರ **ರೂ.4.95 ಲಕ್ಷದಿಂದ ರೂ.500.00 ಲಕ್ಷಗಳ** ಅಂದಾಜು ಮೊತ್ತದ ಒಟ್ಟು 61 ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ ವಿವಿಧ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ಆಹ್ವಾನಿಸಲಾಗಿದೆ. **ಕ್ರಮ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 01 ರಿಂದ 61 ರ ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ** ಇ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 20.02.2023** ರಿಂದ ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಲು **ದಿನಾಂಕ: 28.02.2023 ರ ಸಂಜೆ 4.00 ಗಂಟೆಯವರೆಗೆ** ಸಮಯವನ್ನು ನಿಗಧಿಪಡಿಸಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, **ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕ ಮತ್ತು ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಬಿಡ್‌ಗಳನ್ನು ದಿನಾಂಕ: 01.03.2023 ರ ಸಂಜೆ 4.30** ರ ನಂತರ ತೆರೆಯಲಾಗುವುದು.

ಅರ್ಹ ನೋಂದಾಯಿತ ಸಿವಿಲ್ ಮತ್ತು ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಗುತ್ತಿಗೆದಾರರು ಕಾಮಗಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಇ–ಪ್ರೊಕ್ಯೂರ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್ ಪೋರ್ಟಲ್ **http://eproc.karnataka.gov.in** ಮುಖಾಂತರ ನಿಯಮಾವಳಿಯಂತೆ ಟೆಂಡರ್ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಬಹುದಾಗಿರುತ್ತದೆ. ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ವಿವರಗಳಿಗೆ ಈ ಕಛೇರಿಯ **ದೂರವಾಣಿ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆ 0821–2420624** ರಿಂದ ಹಾಗೂ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರದ ವೆಬ್‌ಸೈಟ್ **www.mudamysore.gov.in** ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕಟಣೆಯ ಮಾಹಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಪಡೆಯಬಹುದು.

ಸಹಿ/– ಅಧೀಕ್ಷಕ ಅಭಿಯಂತರರು, ಮೈಸೂರು ನಗರಾಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಪ್ರಾಧಿಕಾರ, ಮೈಸೂರು

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SALE NOTICE

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 READ WITH PROVISO TO RULE 8 (6) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **ARM Branch-1, Bengaluru of the Canara Bank,** will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 10.03.2023 (10.30 AM to 11.00 PM), for recovery of Rs.7,38,07,575.60/-** with further interest and cost thereon due to the **ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru of Canara Bank from 1. Mr. Mahabaleshwar Bhat,** No. 71/2, 1st Floor, 1st cross, 8th Main, MSR Road Mathikere, Bangalore – 560054, **2. Mr. Vinayaka hebbar,** No. 158/16, 1st Floor, 14th Cross, Kanshiram Nagar, Vidyaranyapura, Bangalore- 560097, **3. Mr. Sathyanarayana Rao,** No. 13, Raghavendra Badavane, Sorab, Shimoga district, -577429, **4. Mrs. S. Saraswathi,** No. 35, Anugraha, 7th Cross krishnappa Block Ganganagar, Bangalore North- 560032, **5. Mr. M. Krishnamurhty,** No. 2765, Sridhama, E Block, Near Swathi Gardenia, Kodigehalli and byatarayanapura Village Hebbal, Bangalore North- 560092.

The Reserve Price and Earnest Money Deposits details are as under & the Earnest Money Deposit shall be deposited on or before **09.03.2023 at 5.00 pm** by way of DD favouring Authorized Officer **Canara Bank ARM-1 Branch** or through online payment to Account **No.209272434 (IFSC CNRB0002366)** is as under.

(₹. in Lakhs)

Lot No	Description of the immovable/movable assets:	Reserve Price	EMD Amount	Incremental value at Bid
1	Residential site situated at no. 18, BBMP khata no. 894, PID no. 894, Khata no. 894-578/18 of BBMP formed in Sy. No. 29/2, ward no. 12 Abbigere Village, Yeshwanthpura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, measuring east to west (48+30)/2 feet and north to south (35+22)/2 feet total 1111.50 sqft, bounded on : East- site no. 19, West- Road, North- Road, South- private property.	**Rs. 55.60**	**Rs.5.56**	**Rs. 1.00**

Known encumbrances, if any: Not to the knowledge of the Bank.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or may contact Chief Manager, ARM-1 Branch, Bengaluru, Canara Bank, Ph. No.9483532366 during office hours on any working day.

Date : 20.02.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Canara Bank

STATE BANK OF INDIA

RACPC ST. MARK'S ROAD BRANCH
No.65, LHO Compound, St. Mark's Road,
Bengaluru-560001. Tele No.9611093484, Email: sbi.63988@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Properties)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (No.3 of 2002) issued Demand Notices calling upon the following borrowers/guarantors to repay the amount mentioned in the notice with further interest within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. Details of demand notices such as date of issue and loan outstanding amount are mentioned against each borrower hereunder.

1. A/c.No:YLR/ HL/37154921896/ 33155057901/814/HL/1026

Name of the Borrower : Sri.Manjunath Chand S/o.Ranganath

Demand Notice date :17.08.2022

Loan Outstanding amount as per demand notice :Rs.26,75,667/- (Rupees Twenty Six Lakhs Seventy Five Thousand Six Hundred and Sixty Seven only) as on 16.08.2022 and interest & expenses thereon.

Possession Taken date : 15.02.2023

Present Loan Outstanding amount: Rs.25,88,174/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lakhs Eighty Eight Thousand One Hundred and Seventy Four only) as on 09.01.2023 + interest + expenses thereon.

Description of the immovable property: All that piece and parcel of Residential Property bearing SiteNo.132, situated at Banashankari 6th Stage, 1st Block, formed by Bengaluru Department Authority, measuring East to West : 9.00 mtrs, North to South :12.00 mtrs in all measuring 108 sq.mtrs, standing in the name of Sri. Manjunath Chand and bounded on : East by : Site No.131, West by : Site No.133, North by : Private Property, South by : Road.

2. A/c.No:YLR/HL/39674862640/ 39674711475/ 39731711277/ 8956

Name of the Borrowers : Shri. Aashish Goenka S/o.Jai Kumar Goenka and **Smt.Esha Goenka** W/o. Aashish Goenka

Demand Notice date : 05.11.2022

Loan Outstanding amount as per demand notice Rs.1,29,17,120/- (Rupees One Crore Twenty Nine Lakhs Seventeen Thousand One Hundred and Twenty only) as on 04.11.2022 and interest & expenses thereon.

Possession Taken date : 15.02.2023

Present Loan Outstanding amount :Rs.1,32,02,221/- (Rupees One Crore Thirty Two Lakhs Two Thousand Two Hundred and Twenty One only) as on 22.01.2023 + interest + expenses thereon.

Description of the immovable property: SCHEDULE 'A' Property: (Entire Property): All that piece and parcel of the Converted Land bearing Sy.No.23, measuring 2 Acres 05 Guntas, situated at Gubbalala Village, UttarahalliHobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, (Converted vide Official Memorandum No.BDIS/ALN/SR/ (S) 744/2004-05, dated 04.04.2005), and bounded by : East by : B.W.S.S.B Road, West by : Private Property belongs to Dr.D.PremchandraSagar and others, North by : Road formed by BDA, South by : Private Property belongs to Marappa S/o.Muniyappa and others.

SCHEDULE 'B' Property: (Property hereby agreed to be sold to the Purchasers): An undivided share, right, title and interest in the Schedule –A Property measuring to an extent of 652 sq.ft.

SCHEDULE 'C' Property: (Description of the Apartment): Proposed Apartment/Flat bearing Flat No.B-401, in 'B' Block, Fourth Floor of the residential Apartment Building known as "LIBERTY SQUARE" having a super built up area of 1930 square feet (which is inclusive of the floors, ceiling and walls between the apartments and proportionate share in all common areas) together with One covered car parking space in the basement, standing in the joint name of Shri.Aashish Goenka and Smt.Esha Goenka.

The above mentioend borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the properties described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on above mentioned dates.

The borrowers in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the properties and any dealings with the properties will be subject to the charge of the **State Bank of India,** for amount mentioned against their names with further interest accrued and cost/ expenses thereon.

The borrower's/guarantor's/mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Date : **15.02.2023**
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer
State Bank of India, RACPC St. Marks Road Bengaluru

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform General Public, my Client I, **AJMAL BAKHTIAR JALEES's** mother **HAJARA NARGIS,** owner of the Property bearing No. 528, New No. 027, Iliyas Nagara West, 5th Main Road, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore, measuring 50 x 30 feet and bounded on: **East by:** Site No. 527, **West by:** Site No. 529, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Site No. 517.

HAJARA NARGIS expired on 25-02-2022.

My client hereby declare the above said schedule property Sale Deed registered as document No. 123, dated 7-4-1981, registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Bangalore South Taluk is misplaced / lost within the limits of Siddapura Police Station, Bangalore. In this behalf a complaint has been registered on 11-02-2023, complaint vide Serial No.470529, Lost Report No.0470529/ 2023 and after thorough search they have not been able to trace out the original sale deed document and as such through this Public Notice they have confirmed that the above said original sale deed document and related documents has been lost.

My client has lodged police complaint in this behalf and if anybody finds / traces the said original sale deed document, it is requested to contact and handover the same to the under signed limmediately and the finder will be suitably rewarded.

SHIVANNA, Advocate
No.28, 12th Main Road, 4th Block East,
Jayanagar, (Near Sub-Registrar Office),
Bangalore-560 011. Ph: (M) 9901507257
Date: 11-02-2023

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I AT BANGALORE

4th Floor, Telephone House, Raj Bhavan Road, Bangalore-560 001.

O.A. No. 154/2022

BETWEEN: STATE BANK OF INDIA, SME Centre, Banaswadi, Bangalore ... **APPLICANT**

AND: M/s. NUPPUR'S and another ... DEFENDANTS

To: DEFENDANTS

1) M/s.NUPPUR'S, Shop No.28, 1st Floor, Safina Plaza, No.84/85, Infantry Road, Bangalore-560001. Represented by its Proprietrix, Smt.Nupur Ghosh

Also at:Shop No.23 & 24, Mahaveer Mall, Bangalore – 560042.

2. Smt.NUPUR GHOSH, aged about 41 years, D/o Late Bikash Kabiraj, R/at No.904, Rose Block, Oceans Greendale, Phase 2, 16th Cross, New Ganapathy Temple,3rd Main, Hoysalanagar, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bangalore-560016.

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE) RULE 1996 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION)

WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendant for recovery of Rs.28,40,618/- Inclusive of Interest till 19.11.2021 along with future interest with monthly rests from 20.11.2021 to till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with cost of this proceedings in respect of Cash credit facility, WTCL Loan facility, FITL Loan facility and CCECL Loan facility and for the reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **26.06.2023** at 10.30 AM in the forenoon in person or pleader/advocate duly instructed has to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 03/02/2023.

By Order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-1, Bangalore.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby notified that M/s. Dhanalakshmi Bank Ltd, Bangalore, is entering in to Lease Agreement with Mr. Sudhakar Agani, S/o Mr. A. Venkat Reddy, Residing at No.443, 16th Cross, 5th Main, HSR Layout, Sector 6, Bangalore -560102, in respect of the property mentioned in the Schedule hereunder and hereinafter called as Schedule Property. He has reported that he is the Absolute Owner of the same free from all encumbrances.

If Anybody having right, title and interest in the Schedule Property is/are hereby called upon to lodge their claim with the undersigned within **seven (7) days** from the date of this publication. Any Claim/ objection received after the period will not be entertained and it will be treated that there is no claim/objection over the Schedule Property as well, from any one.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Immovable Property bearing Site Nos: 32 and 33, having Panchayath Raj Property Identification No.150200100500220312, Old Khatha No.670, Assessment Register No.32/70, formed out of Sy.No.70, Measuring East to West : 60 Feet, North to South : 40 Feet, Totally Measuring 2400 Sq.Ft., out of 2460 Sq. Ft., situated at Choodasandra Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore, along with Building constructed thereon and property acquired by way of Gift Geed Dated: 03-07-2019 and Registered as Document No.ABL-1-02315-2019-20 and stored in C.D.No.ABLD462 Dated: 06-07-2019 at Office of the Senior Sub Registrar, Basavanagudi, (Attibele), Anekal Taluk, Bangalore.

East By : Estella Maple Square Project,
West By : Road,
North By : Sy.No: 71/2 & Estella Maple Entrance,
South By : Site No: 34 & 35.

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Cummins returns home due to 'family illness'

Australian captain Pat Cummins has flown back home from the tour of India due to a "serious family illness" following the second Test in Delhi. The *cricket.com.au* reported that Cummins is on his way to Sydney and is expected to return to India for the remaining two games of the Border-Gavaskar trophy in Indore and Ahmedabad.

RACE FOR WTC FINAL: ADVANTAGE OZ & INDIA

The easy win in the second Test in Delhi means India have improved their points percentage to 64.06 and also taken a giant stride towards qualification for the World Test Championship final scheduled at the Oval in June. The loss saw Australia's percentage reduced to 66.67 but they remained atop the standings followed by India. **Firoz Mirza** gives a lowdown...

A LOOK AT DIFFERENT SCENARIOS FOR THREE TEAMS...

EXPLAINER

WTC points

In the 2021-23 WTC, teams get 12 points for a win, 3 for a draw and 6 for a tie.

INDIA

HAVE THEY MADE IT: They are on their way to the final but haven't made it yet.

CAN THEY BE KNOCKED OUT

They can only miss out on a spot in the final if they don't win the remaining two Tests. The maximum PCT Sri Lanka can reach is 61.11%. To make sure they stay ahead of Sri Lanka, India need to win at least one more match as two draws will only take them to 60.65%. Even if they don't win the two matches, they can still hope to qualify by backing New Zealand. If the Kiwis prevent their opponents from a 2-0 sweep, then India can qualify as a 1-0 will only help Lanka to end up with 55.55%, which will be lower than India's 56.94% even if they lose the last two games against Australia.

AUSTRALIA

HAVE THEY MADE IT: Not yet but they are pretty strong contenders.

CAN THEY BE KNOCKED OUT

The team from Down Under can lose the remaining Tests in Indore and Ahmedabad but can still make it to the final. If they indeed lose the matches, they will finish on 59.65%. They then have to depend on New Zealand to draw at least a match as two wins mean Sri Lanka will be through. And if Australia draw the matches, they will end up on 61.40%, which will be higher than Lanka's maximum of 61.11%.

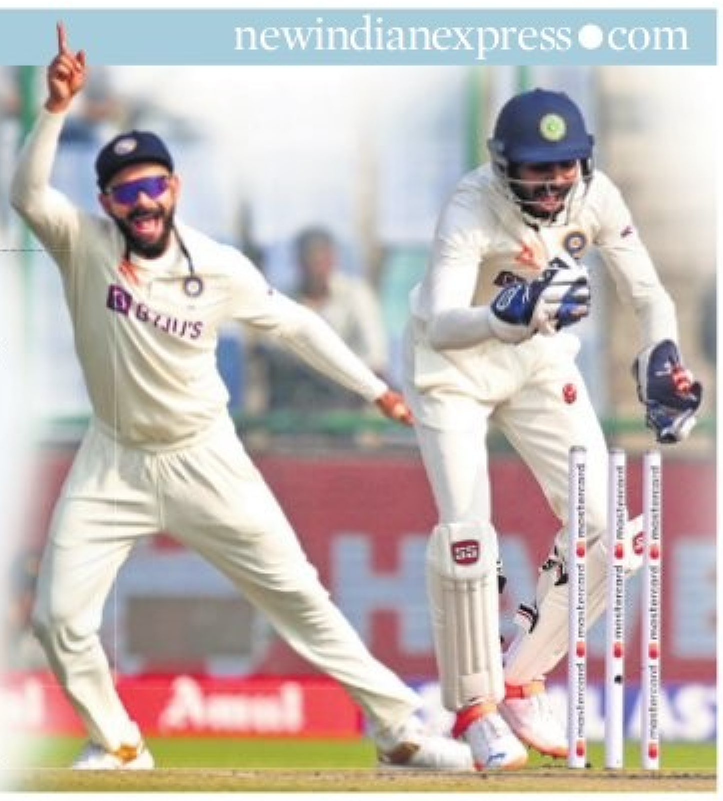
SRI LANKA

First they have to win the Test series against hosts New Zealand 2-0. But that alone will not guarantee them a spot. Their hope hinges on the final result of the India-Australia series. If it ends 3-1 or 3-0 in India's favour, then Sri Lanka are out. In other words, the series in India should end 4-0, 2-0, 2-1 or 2-2 with the hosts being the first team.

PCT CALCULATION

PCT, which means points percentage, is calculated on the basis of the highest points the team can get and the total points the team has got. For example, Sri Lanka have played 10 matches so far, so the maximum points they could have secured are 120. But their actual points are 64. To determine the percentage, actual points will be divided by the maximum points and the results will be multiplied by 100.

NOTE: FOR SLOW OVER-RATES, TEAMS WILL LOSE ONE CHAMPIONSHIP POINT FOR EACH OVER SHORT.



Mandhana guides India through wind and rain

Opener's 87 helps team overcome Ireland and book semis spot

India's Smriti Mandhana hit a 56-ball 87 to help team post challenging total vs Ireland | AFP

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Smriti Mandhana had just cleared her front leg to get on one knee and slog Cara Murray over midwicket for a six. It was her second consecutive fifty of the 2023 T20 World Cup, with this one against Ireland at the wind-swept beautiful St. George's Park coming in 40 deliveries. Just like the one against England two days ago, there were no celebrations. She had a chat with her batting partner Harmanpreet Kaur and was back to her end. She knew that there was more to do. In the end, India managed to eke out a five-run win against Ireland on DLS after rain played havoc.

Mandhana's innings was not a clean one. It was peppered with chances and was very much unlike Mandhana. She was dropped thrice — once down the ground, twice in midwicket, but she kept going. She did not restrain herself from playing shots. There were her trademark shots through the covers and pulls. Her relentless intent stood apart. Every time she was dropped, she did not go for a single or play conservatively, instead, she went power-hitting. Later she did confess the windy condition was not ideal for batting.

Immediately after her fifty, Mandhana went after Georgina Dempsey — a loft down the ground before making room to cream her through point for consecutive boundaries. One of the key things to note was how the southpaw used the strong wind that was blowing across the ground to her advantage. Every time, she had a chance, Mandhana took a risk to ensure she hit her shots with the breeze. At one point, it felt like she had a chance to get to the triple figure — her first in T20Is — but in the end she perished for a 56-ball 87.

If Mandhana was timing the ball at one end, the other end wasn't the same for India. There were too many dot balls too. Shafali Verma probably had one of her scratchiest innings in the T20 World Cups. She was searching for timing and gaps and hardly went for her go-to shots. She played 14 dot balls in her 29-ball 24 tells enough. But it did not end there. Even skipper Harmanpreet Kaur, who had promoted herself to No. 3, had another bad day at the office.

What seemed odd was that they were not even trying to rotate the strike. Kaur played 20 balls for just 13 runs with eight dot balls. Mandhana, too, had played 16 off them in the 56 balls she faced, but she was able to compensate. Richa Ghosh fell for a duck and so did Deepti Sharma. If not for Jemimah Rodrigues' late boundaries (12-ball 19) India might have found themselves well short of the 155/6 they scored. "I thought I forgot how to bat," laughed Mandhana in a chat with the broadcaster. "One of the toughest innings I would have played. Not the wicket but the pace they were bowling and with the wind, it had gotten worse than we thought...it is always good to post a few runs and go into semis," she said.

India might have ended up on the right side of the result but the fact that they played 41 dot balls in a T20I inning, kind of, summed up the day. Not an ideal way to get into a semifinal clash against Australia. "We did discuss in team meetings. Against England also we played too many dot balls. Things like that we are discussing, but when other teams bowl well and you score 150, you know, it is a par score... Dot ball is a worrying sign for us and next game, you will see some improvement," said captain Harmanpreet.

In reply, Ireland managed 54/2 after 8.2 overs when it started raining. **Brief scores:** India 155/6 in 20 ovs (Mandhana 87; Prendergast 2/22) **bt** Ireland 54/2 in 8.2 ovs (Lewis 32 n.o). **India won by 5 runs (DLS method)**

Full story: newindianexpress.com

NOW OR NEVER FOR HOSTS

As the group stages come to an end, a lot will be riding on the final game with hosts hoping to make the semifinals...

PAK LOOK TO FINISH ON HIGH

The loss against West Indies in the last over will hurt them, but they have very little time to reflect as Pakistan take on England. While it is going to be really hard for them against England's batting line-up, they would want to bring their A-game. For if Ireland pull off an upset against India, they still have a chance.

PROTEAS LOOK FOR INSPIRATION

For them, it's simple. They beat Bangladesh and go into the semifinals. But it might not be easy, especially with someone like Marufa Akter against the South African top-order. That said, like we saw against Australia, expect Marizanne Kapp and Shabnim Ismail to breathe fire.

NZ POST BIG VICTORY: PAARL: After the loss against South Africa, New Zealand's Sophie Devine jokingly said they will have to score 8000 runs and bundle out Bangladesh and Sri Lanka for 20-odd runs to have a chance at making the semifinals. Cut to Sunday, they have almost pulled it off, dismissing Sri Lanka for 60 to register a 102-run victory in Paarl. They are second in the group and will be hoping that Bangladesh could cause an upset against the hosts on Tuesday.

Brief scores: New Zealand 162/3 in 20 ovs (Amelia 66) bt Sri Lanka 60 all out in 15.5 ovs (Tahuh 2/12); West Indies 116/6 (Williams 30) in 20 ovs bt Pakistan 113/5 in 20 ovs (Riaz 29).

TODAY'S MATCHES: England vs Pakistan, 6.30 PM | South Africa vs Bangladesh, 10.30 PM | **LIVE ON STAR SPORTS NETWORK**

Gap between the haves & havenots

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Chamari Athapaththu

WHEN Chamari Athapaththu said she hoped Sri Lanka Cricket (SLC) could organise more tours for the women against the top teams after the defeat against New Zealand, it was more of a cry than a statement. From being on the verge of making their first-ever T20 World Cup semifinals, they were out of the tournament as they suffered a 102-run defeat on Sunday in Paarl.

The diplomatic stateswoman that she is, Athapaththu maintained her calm and composure as she had an honest reflection on where Sri Lankan cricket is in comparison with the top teams. And she wasn't wrong. The Sri Lankan women's team did not play a single T20I since the 2020 T20 World Cup till the Commonwealth Games qualifier in January 2022. To put it into context, at a time of political and financial turmoil during the pandemic, the SLC managed to organise 45 international fixtures for the men's team in the same period, but none for the women. Even after, barring the lone Indian tour in 2022 which was a part of the ICC ODI Championship cycle, they did not get to play against any of the top teams in bilaterals.

Prior to this World Cup, they had last played Australia in bilateral T20Is in September 2019, England in March 2019 and New Zealand in 2015. In fact, their last T20I before they landed in South Africa was the final of the Asia Cup in October 2022. "Definitely, the youngsters need some experience. Experience is not coming from playing in the nets, so they need to play more cricket in the future. That's what we want to do… because we have to play a lot of cricket against the top four teams. Then we can improve our cricket and we can build good teams, so we need some matches in the future," said Athapaththu.

It is not just Sri Lanka. Before their 2023 tour to Australia, Pakistan hadn't played bilateral T20Is against them for more than four years, and they haven't played England, whom they will face on Tuesday, since December 2019. Ireland hadn't played England before this World Cup in over ten years and they have never played a bilateral T20I series against India. And the lack of familiarity shows when they face the top teams in a global event. However, there is more to it than just the international fixtures as the women's FTP for the ongoing cycle does look promising to the full members. Domestic structures have a massive role to play as well. At the same venue where Athapaththu expressed her frustration, New Zealand skipper Sophie Devine - who was livid with the performance against South Africa last week - said that she was not sure if the domestic system back home is helping them enough. "If I'm being brutally honest, I'm not sure if it's preparing us for international cricket and you're seeing now obviously the WBBL, The Hundred, and now the WPL, they're highly competitive tournaments and they're preparing players. We've seen Australia, we're seeing England and I'm scared to think what India's going to be like with the opportunities that they give themselves," Devine said.

It is not like there is not a gap between India and England and Australia. The last time Australia lost a T20I on the field against India was in the 2020 T20 World Cup and England was in July 2019. Devine called Australia "boring" for the same reason. India, who at the moment at least, are probably the third of the big three in the women's game in terms of strength and investment, have lost only to England and Australia in the previous three marquee T20 tournaments (2018, 2020 T20 WCs and CWG). As Devine said, with the advent of WPL, the gap between them and the rest is going to only grow wider. And the onus is on the respective cricketing boards to start acting before it becomes too late to bridge the gap.

Delhi World C'ships will be Olympic qualifiers: IBA

ANMOL GURUNG @Chennai

THE World Championships have been historically a massive competition for amateur-level athletes across sports. However, there's some uncertainty surrounding the upcoming boxing World Championships in India (women's event) and Uzbekistan (men's championship) mainly due to the fact that the events are not recognised by the International Olympic Committee and do not offer quotas for the 2024 Paris Olympics. Despite this, the International Boxing Association (IBA) has confirmed that those two events will be Olympic qualifying events.

USA and Ireland, citing IBA's existing issues, had decided against sending their pugilists for the said events. More have taken that stance including the Polish Boxing Association. That has meant some nations, with high ambitions, would potentially be missing out on quality bouts ahead of Olympic qualifying events later designed by the IOC. "To exclude World Champions from the upcoming Women's and Men's World Boxing Championships in New Delhi, India and Tashkent, Uzbekistan from qualifying for Paris 2024 is not acceptable and against the principles of sport and boxing," IBA said in a release on Monday.

"The upcoming IBA World Boxing Championships in New Delhi and Tashkent will be the main qualification events for Paris 2024."

The Women's World Championships in New Delhi is set to be held from March 15 to 26 while the men's equivalent is scheduled to be held from May 1 to 14. The world body is going by a qualification system which was initially approved by the IOC Executive Board in April last year. The IBA is willing to work with the IOC and stressed on the importance of the aforementioned world meets.

New foreign coach

Meanwhile, Dmitry Dimitruk has joined the Indian team as foreign coach. Dimitruk, who has worked with high performance director Bernard Dunne in Ireland, will oversee all teams. They had a successful stint with the Ireland team that won medals at marquee events.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

LIVERPOOL FACE REAL CHALLENGE IN CL

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Liverpool manager Jurgen Klopp

JURGEN Klopp has urged Liverpool to turn their recent improvement into a season-saving revival as the Reds eye Champions League revenge against Real Madrid.

Klopp's side are showing signs of finally emerging from a dismal spell that threatened to ruin their entire campaign. Liverpool have reeled off successive victories over Everton and Newcastle to give them renewed hope of snatching a top four finish in the Premier League. While it is too early to say Klopp has found remedies for everything that has ailed Liverpool throughout a traumatic season, they welcome Real to Anfield for Tuesday's last 16 first leg with morale no longer at rock bottom.

Klopp will take that as a foundation from which to kick-start Liverpool's bid to win the Champions League for a second time under the German.

Real beat Liverpool in the 2018 final, eliminated them in the 2021 quarter-finals and won last season's final 1-0 in Paris thanks to Vinicius Junior's goal. Liverpool haven't beaten Real since a Champions League last 16 victory in 2009.

Wednesday's fixtures: Liverpool vs Real Madrid, Eintracht Frankfurt vs Napoli (Live on Sony Sports Network @ 1:30 am.

Barcelona restore 8-point lead

BARCELONA: Robert Lewandowski and Sergi Roberto's goals helped Barcelona beat Cadiz 2-0 and restore their eight-point lead at the top of La Liga on Sunday. Elsewhere, Antoine Griezmann's superb strike helped Atletico Madrid earn a 1-0 win over Athletic Bilbao to tighten their grip on fourth place. Champions Real Madrid's win at Osasuna on Saturday pulled them closer to Xavi Hernandez's Barca, who had one eye on Thursday's Europa League play-off second leg against Manchester United at Old Trafford.

EXPRESS READ

Boxer Nishant begins on strong note at Strandja tournament

SOFIA: National champion Nishant Dev began his campaign with a commanding win over Wang Peicheng of China in 71kg category at the prestigious Strandja Memorial international boxing tournament on Monday. Nishant was in cruise control mode throughout his bout, landing powerful and accurate punches to assert his dominance over the Chinese opponent and secure a 5-0 victory.

TN, Punjab and UP post wins in sr women nat'l hockey meet

KAKINADA: Punjab, Uttar Pradesh and Tamil Nadu registered wins over Himachal, hosts Andhra Pradesh and Puducherry in pool matches of the 13th Hockey India Senior Women National Championship here on Monday. While Punjab defeated Himachal 2-0 in Pool F, Uttar Pradesh beat Andhra Pradesh 3-2 in Pool E. In the final match of the day, Tamil Nadu defeated Puducherry 3-0 in Pool H.

Top wrestlers opt out of international event again

NEW DELHI: Top Indian wrestlers continued to opt out of big events as the likes of Vinesh Phogat and Bajrang Punia have decided to give the 2nd Ranking Series Ibrahim-Moustafa meet a miss. It is the second time in the month that Vinesh, Bajrang, Ravi Dahiya, Deepak Punia, Anshu Malik, Sangeeta Phogat and Sangita Mor have decided to sit out of an important tournament, to be held in Egypt from February 23 to 26.

BENGALURU OPEN

Tseng eyes title wins with goal to lift tennis in Asia

VISHNU PRASAD @Bengaluru

Top seed Chun-hsin Tseng beat Frederico Silva 6-4, 6-4 on Monday

AS the sun hastily set over the KSLTA stadium in Bengaluru, Chun-hsin Tseng looked to be in a hurry to finish off his opponent in his opening encounter of the Bengaluru Open. He had coasted through the first set 6-4 against the Portuguese Frederico Silva and was now a point away from repeating that in the second. He took a deep breath, tossed the ball into the air and promptly served an ace.

Bengaluru knows Tseng and he knows the city too. Last year, he turned up and dominated the opposition en route to winning the title. It is a feat the diminutive Taiwanese player — all of 5'9" in a sport played by giants — hopes to repeat.

"It is exciting (to come back as champion)," he says. "Since I was here, it was easier to get used to the conditions. I like it here. Hopefully I'll do well again this year." Since his last visit to the city, Tseng has had quite a year. He finished 2022 with a couple of Challenger titles and a number of good displays. In August last year, he was ranked as high as No 82. His displays were enough for him to qualify for the Next Generation ATP Finals — just the second Asian player to play there — as well as get nominated for the ATP Newcomer of the Year award.

"It was an amazing season last year," Tseng. "I was playing pretty well, winning a couple of Challengers. I was feeling a lot of confidence and was ready to go to the next level. It was a really good time and I improved a lot. Now I just need to keep working on it."

His displays in 2022 were something of a relief for Tseng, who believed that he had lost valuable time during the pandemic. The global shutdown came just when the 21-year-old was picking up momentum. After winning the boys' singles title at the French Open and Wimbledon in 2018, he was only a few months removed from turning pro in 2019 when the pandemic forced him home. "That was a very difficult time, not just for me but for all Asian players as we had no tournaments in Asia," Tseng says. "It lasted more than 6 months. It was a tough moment — we were practicing every day but there were no tournaments and you don't really know what you could improve more. And this came during a time when I was playing well."

After breaking into the top hundred last year, he is now ranked 131. Breaking into the top hundred and winning tournaments are all on his bucket list, but Tseng feels he has a larger purpose. As someone who idolised Kei Nishikori as one of the few Asian success stories on the tour, Tseng wants to be that inspirational figure for those who follow him.

"I will try to do my best. I will try to be all that I can be and try to help tennis in Asia and in Taiwan. I want to be someone who people can follow," says Tseng.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Manga master Leiji Matsumoto, whose epic sci-fi stories were highly influential in Japan's comic-book and anime worlds, has died aged 85, production company Toei said Monday.

Mauritius was battening down the hatches on Monday as an intense tropical cyclone moved closer, with flights cancelled and normal life at a standstill in the Indian Ocean island nation

AGAINST THE SETTING SUN

People are silhouetted against the setting sun along a riverbank at Sangam, the confluence of rivers Ganga, Yamuna, and mythical Saraswati in Prayagraj | AFP

OVER 6,000 GUNS SEIZED AT U.S. AIRPORTS IN '22

Barring 2020, weapons intercepted at the airports have climbed since the year 2010

WEAPONS

ATLANTA: The woman flying out of Philadelphia's airport last year remembered to pack snacks, prescription medicine and a cellphone in her handbag. But what was more important was what she forgot to unpack: a loaded .380-caliber handgun in a black holster.

The weapon was one of the 6,542 guns the Transportation Security Administration (TSA) intercepted last year at airport checkpoints across the country.

The number—roughly 18 per day—was an all-time high for guns intercepted at US airports, and is sparking concern at a time when more Americans are armed.

Television displays a "no guns" sign in Atlanta | AP

"What we see in our checkpoints really reflects what we're seeing in society, and in society there are more people carrying firearms nowadays," TSA administrator David Pekoske said.

With the exception of pandemic-disrupted 2020, the number of weapons intercepted at airport checkpoints has climbed every year since 2010.

Experts don't think this is an epidemic of would-be hijackers —nearly everyone caught claims to have forgotten they had a gun with them—but they emphasise the danger even one gun can pose in the wrong hands on a plane or at a checkpoint.

Guns have been intercepted literally from Burbank, California, to Bangor, Maine. But it tends to happen more at bigger airports in areas with laws more friendly to carrying a gun, Pekoske said. The top 10 list for gun interceptions in 2022 includes Dallas, Austin and Houston in Texas; three airports in Florida; Nashville, Tennessee; Atlanta; Phoenix; and Denver.

Pekoske isn't sure the "I forgot" excuse is always true or whether it's a natural reaction to getting caught. Regardless, he said, it's a problem that must stop.

When TSA staffers see what they believe to be a weapon on the X-ray machine, they usually stop the belt so the bag stays inside the machine and the passenger can't get to it. Then they call in local police.

Repercussions vary depending on local and state laws.

The person may be arrested and have the gun confiscated. But sometimes they're allowed to give the gun to a companion not flying with them and continue on their way. Unloaded guns can also be placed in checked bags assuming they follow proper procedures.

FACT OF THE MATTER

Jewels returned to Cambodia

REPATRIATED

A spectacular collection of centuries-old Cambodian jewellery has been returned to the country, the latest treasures to be retrieved from the estate of well-known antiquities collector and dealer Douglas Latchford, who was accused of buying and selling looted artefacts. Cambodia's Ministry of Culture and Fine Arts announced on Monday that 77 pieces of Cambodian jewellery from Latchford family collection arrived on Friday. It said the collection included items "such as gold and other precious metal pieces from Pre-Angkorian and Angkorian period including crowns, necklaces,...." Angkor in the 9th to the 15th centuries was a powerful kingdom.

NZ cyclone to cost billions

RECOVERY

New Zealand said on Monday it was likely to cost billions of dollars to recover from Cyclone Gabrielle as the national state of emergency was extended by another week. Prime Minister Chris Hipkins confirmed 11 people have so far died in the wake of the devastating flash flooding and high winds which lashed the North Island last week. "Our thoughts remain with families and communities grieving loved ones during such a difficult time," he added. Hipkins has warned the final death toll could rise, but the number of people who police were still looking to contact had fallen to about 2,300. The full extent of destruction is becoming clearer.

Overuse of fever-reducing meds

STUDY

One in three parents would give fever-reducing medication for spiked temperatures below 100.4 degrees, which isn't recommended, according to a study conducted in the US. Researchers at the University of Michigan in the US also found that half of parents would also use medicine if the fever was between 100.4 and 101.9 degrees, and a quarter of parents would likely give another dose to prevent the fever from returning. "Some parents may immediately rush to give their kids medicine but it's often better to let the fever runs its course," said Susan Woolford, co-director of C.S. Mott Children's Hospital National Poll on Children's Health. "Lowering a child's temperature doesn't typically help cure their illness any faster. In fact, a low-grade fever helps fight off the infection. There's also the risk of giving too much medication when it's not needed, which can have side effects," Woolford said.

Iran's enrichment of uranium hits 84%

ENERGY

VIENNA: The Vienna-based International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) said on Sunday evening that it was in discussions with Tehran after *Bloomberg News* reported that the watchdog's inspectors in Iran last week found uranium enriched to 84% purity, just below the 90% needed to produce an atomic bomb. The report comes with negotiations stalled to revive a landmark deal over Iran's nuclear programme. Iran was last known to have enriched uranium to up to 60%. Uranium enriched to around 90% purity is considered nuclear weapons-grade. The spokesman for the Atomic Energy Organisation of Iran, Behruz Kamalvandi, on Monday described the report as "slander" and a "distortion of the facts", according to state news agency *IRNA*.

"The presence of a particle or particles of uranium above 60% in the enrichment process does not mean enrichment above 60%," he added.

A diplomat confirmed to AFP the 84% reported by Bloomberg, saying "the percentage is correct". The IAEA is "giving Iran the opportunity to explain because it's apparently possible that there can be so-called 'spikes' of higher levels of enrichment," the diplomat added. French Foreign Minister Catherine Colonna said her country was in touch with the IAEA to "have more precise information". France is part of the Iran 2015 nuclear deal together with China, Germany, Russia and the UK.

"It goes without saying that if this press information were confirmed, proven, this would constitute a new and extremely worrying element," she told reporters in Brussels.

The 2015 accord promised Iran sanctions relief in exchange for curbs on its nuclear programme to prevent it from developing a nuclear weapon — something Tehran has always denied seeking. But the US unilaterally withdrew from the deal in 2018 and reimposed sanctions on Iran, prompting it to begin walking back on its commitments under the accord.

EXPRESS READ

Climate change to hit US, China most

PARIS: Major industrial and economic centres in China and the United States are among the most vulnerable regions in the world to the increasingly destructive power of climate change-driven weather extremes, according to a comprehensive analysis on Monday. The new findings underscore the urgent need for governments to focus on decarbonisation and adaptation measures such as flood-proofing—and show the economic fallout from climate change could be grave and widespread. Nine of the top 10 most at-risk regions are in China, with two of the country's largest sub-national economies—Jiangsu and Shandong—leading the global ranking by The Cross Dependency Initiative (XDI). After China, the US has the most high-risk states. Florida, number 10 in global rankings, is the US state most in jeopardy, followed by California and Texas. China, India and the United States make up over half the states and provinces in the top 100.

Outrage over purging colourful language from Dahl's works

LITERATURE

LONDON: Critics are accusing the British publisher of Roald Dahl's classic children's books of censorship after it removed colourful language from works such as *"Charlie and the Chocolate Factory"* and *"Matilda"* to make them more acceptable to modern readers.

A review of new editions of Dahl's books now available in bookstores shows that some passages relating to weight, mental health, gender and race were altered. The changes made by Puffin Books, a division of Penguin Random House, first were reported by Britain's *Daily Telegraph* newspaper.

Augustus Gloop, Charlie's gluttonous antagonist in *"Charlie and the Chocolate Factory,"* which originally was published in 1964, is no longer *"enormously fat,"* just "*enormous*."

In the new edition of "*Witches*," a supernatural female posing as an ordinary woman may be working as a "top scientist or running a business" instead of as a "cashier in a supermarket or typing letters for a businessman."

Books by Roald Dahl are displayed at the Barney's store | AP

The word "*black*" was removed from the description of the terrible tractors in 1970s *"The Fabulous Mr. Fox."* The machines are now simply "murderous, brutal-looking monsters."

Booker Prize-winning author Salman Rushdie was among those who reacted angrily to the rewriting of Dahl's words. Rushdie lived in hiding for years after Iran's Grand Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini in 1989 issued a fatwa calling for his death because of the alleged blasphemy in his novel *"The Satanic Verses."* He was attacked and seriously injured last year at an event in New York state.

"Roald Dahl was no angel but this is absurd censorship," Rushdie wrote on Twitter. "Puffin Books and the Dahl estate should be ashamed."

The changes to Dahl's books mark the latest skirmish in a debate over cultural sensitivity as campaigners seek to protect young people from cultural, ethnic and gender stereotypes in literature and other media.

Critics complain revisions to suit 21st century sensibilities risks undermining the genius of great artists and preventing readers from confronting the world as it is.

The Roald Dahl Story Company, which controls the rights to the books, said it worked with Puffin to review the texts because it wanted to ensure that "Dahl's wonderful stories and characters continue to be enjoyed by all children today."

Any changes were "small and carefully considered," the company said.

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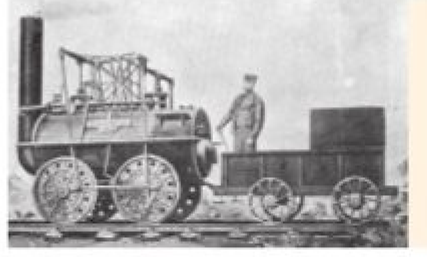

DAY'S DIARY

First railway trip

World's first-ever railway journey ran nine miles from the ironworks at Penydarren to the Merthyr–Cardiff Canal on this day in 1804

FATHER OF RAILWAYS

The journey took place before steam locomotion became commercially viable, meaning that Richard Trevithick and not George Stephenson was the real father of the railways

ACHIEVEMENTS

In 1801, Richard built his first steam carriage, and drove up a hill in Camborne. In 1803, he built the world's first steam railway locomotive

FIRST ELECTRIC TRAIN

The first experimental electric passenger train was demonstrated by Werner von Siemens, inventor and founder of Siemens AG, in 1879

Visualising Forgotten Pain

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With an average of over 29 minutes to travel 10km, Bengaluru is the second slowest city in the world for driving after London, according to the recently-published TomTom Traffic Index. Bengalureans weigh in

PIC: NAGARAJA GADEKAL

JAM SCENES

AVANTIKA MOHAPATRA, CAPITAL MANAGEMENT & INVESTMENT ADVISOR

I'm not surprised by the report. I lived in Hyderabad and Kolkata previously. While I've come to love Bengaluru, it has by far the worst traffic. The road to my office, which should ideally take less than 10 minutes, takes over 45 minutes during rush hour. On weekends, reaching home is a challenge. The abysmal traffic management and poor infrastructure are the reasons behind the slow traffic movement. The Metro is still not well connected, and bus facilities are not reliable. This is unacceptable for a city with a population like Bengaluru.

ADITYA MENDONCA, TRIATHLETE

The city has been growing at a crazy rate, and there's been absolutely no planning. Building flyovers to solve traffic problems has been one of the worst ideas ever, because the roads that connect to these flyovers are terrible and there's no actual benefit from it. It has only led to the city losing a lot of trees. Our roads are not inclusive. If you're a cyclist the roads can be extremely dangerous. Meanwhile, the number of vehicles on the road continues to increase every year, yet there's no space to park all these vehicles. We also need to improve public transport. Allowing people to carry bicycles on the Metro, like Kochi does, would be a great start.

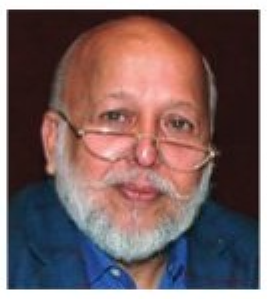
PRASAD BIDAPPA,
FASHION GURU

Bengaluru has a peculiar traffic situation. Besides the normal rush hour density of traffic, we have many factors like VIP movement, road closures and pothole-ridden roads, which slow down traffic even more. We heard recently that the police commissioner has put together a crack team to ease this pressure, but soon after we heard that the crack team had been transferred! Between BBMP, BWSSB, BESCOM and other worthies, we the citizens have realised that there is no master plan, no vision statement or any long-term solutions to our problems. It's each man for himself and may the devil take the hindmost.

PRIYANKA GOLIKERI, COMMUNICATIONS PROFESSIONAL

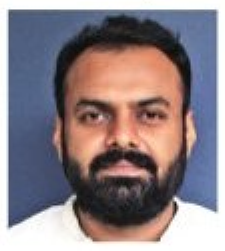
I don't think Bengaluru has the second slowest moving traffic in the world. The survey places Dublin, Ireland below Bengaluru and I don't know how accurate that is. I've lived in cities like Bangkok and Mumbai, and going by my experience, they have far slower moving traffic than Bengaluru. That is despite both those cities having really good public transport. Travelling 3-4 kilometres in Mumbai sometimes takes nearly an hour. I have never experienced that in Bengaluru. So it's really puzzling to see Bengaluru being placed just below London in the survey.

STANLEY PINTO, FORMER ADVERTISING PROFESSIONAL



When I first came to Bengaluru, nearly 30 years ago, there were 2,50,000 motorised vehicles, everything from cars, autos, motorcycles and commercial vehicles, registered in the city. Today, I believe there are over 7 million vehicles in the city. But in terms of infrastructure, nothing has changed. Apart from a few flyovers, the roads have largely remained the same. That explains why Bengaluru has the second slowest moving traffic in the world. The Metro was such a good idea, but the execution has suffered a lot due to corruption. I have lived in other cities across South-East Asia like Bangkok and Kaula Lumpur. When faced with similar traffic problems, they build underground Metros in record times. But the Bengaluru Metro has been in construction for nearly 15 years now.

RITESH ROY, ACCOUNTS COORDINATOR



I started a new job recently and have been going to office every day. Having been working from home for the past few years, I was taken aback to find out that it would take me more than two hours to traverse just 16 km. At some stretches, like Marathahalli, traffic slows to a crawl, taking me around 25 minutes just to cover 4 km despite having two underpasses and reasonably better roads. When I lived in Delhi, I used to travel around 90 km daily in just four hours. I guess, the flyovers, multiple means to commute, Metro connectivity and better condition roads in Delhi NCR region makes the difference.

— DESE GOWDA

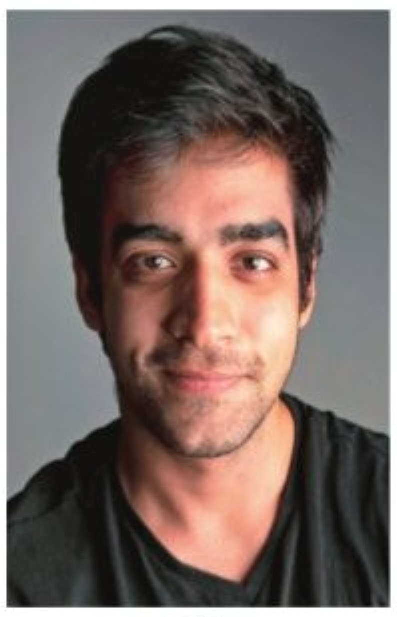
Exploring new avenues

Director, actor and writer Manahar Kumar, a Mumbai resident who travels to the city for theatre, has been selected for BAFTA Newcomers Program. He will be seen in Shah Rukh Khan's upcoming movie *Jawan*

MONIKA MONALISA

THE world witnessed the British Academy of Film and Television Arts (BAFTA) 2023 on February 19, where top names of the film industries walked the red carpet at the Royal Festival Hall in London. Austin Butler took home the Best Leading Actor Award for his portrayal of Elvis Presley and Cate Blanchett won the Best Leading Actress Award for her performance in *TÁR*.

While BAFTA is about glitz and glamour, it also works towards giving opportunities to many from across the world who are passionate about films. That's what the BAFTA Newcomers Program is about. It was nothing less than a dream for Manahar Kumar when he found out that he is one of the students selected for the Los Angeles vertical of BAFTA Newcomers Program.



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Manahar Kumar, filmmaker

His selection for this four-year programme was based on his work, including directing/producing music videos and films for non-profits like, Men Against Rape and Discrimination (MARD) and Chhoti Si Asha (A Small Wish). "It is a four-year new talent initiative, recognising and supporting international professionals to further their development and career. It was an intensive process, lots of questions to answer, and supporting materials in terms of previous films directed, acted and written. The application was judged on the range and quality of my work as a whole and the letters of reference from individuals who could speak of my talent and why I should be selected for the BAFTA Newcomers Program," says Kumar, who will be seen in Shah Rukh Khan-starrer *Jawan*.

The programme is mostly in a hybrid format, where Kumar is planning to shuffle between Mumbai and LA. "I am absolutely looking forward to it. The programme is going to help explore new avenues and also have a unique voice beyond the boxes of Asian identity," says Kumar, who was last seen in the web series on Amazon Prime Video, *Made in Heaven*.

At present it seems like Kumar was always meant to be part of a movie but there was a time when he himself was not sure and he reveals Karnataka and Bengaluru played an important role in that realisation. "I joined Manipal University for engineering, but realised that this wasn't going to be my cup of tea for the next four years. So I moved into mass communication in the first year itself. I didn't want to waste any more time and finances in that sense. It began in 2013. Meanwhile, our group used to perform in the annual festival of NLS Bangalore. I even performed in Mahesh Dattani plays too," says Kumar, adding that he is here in Bengaluru every month.

CITY READ

Indian Haat Festival till February 26

The Indian Haat Festival which began on February 17, is an ongoing 10-day event till February 26 organised by Karnataka Chitrakala Parishath. Comprising over 100 stalls and artisans from all over the country exhibiting their art and crafts, on display will be home decor, handloom sarees, garden decor, toys and apparel and furniture to name a few. The exhibition is open to all from 11am to 7pm, keeping in mind all precautionary measures against the spread of Covid-19.

BU and University of Auckland to collaborate

At a recent academic meeting, Bangalore Univerity and New Zealand's research-led university, the University of Auckland met in Bengaluru to discuss collaboration opportunities in the Education and Social Work field in the presence of the vice-chancellor Prof. Dr Jayakara SM and other faculty members. It was the goal of this general meeting to foster mutual cooperation in education, scientific research and outreach between the two universities. Some of the areas of cooperation include faculty exchange on research projects, lectures, and conferences. Academic cooperation includes the exchange of educational resources and publications. The development and implementation of student exchange programs and identification of special short-term academic programmes of mutual interest.

Bengaluru's board game-themed cafe is the newest space in the city for those looking for food and fun

HOP ON BOARD

DESE GOWDA

BENGALURU has innumerable places for people looking to have a good time. But the city has lacked spaces for board games enthusiasts.

Now Boarding Cafe, the city's newest themed cafe that opened recently hopes to change that. Located in JP Nagar, the cafe is a brainchild of the entrepreneur couple Avikant Bhardwaj and Sweekruthi Kaveripatnam. A former investment banker, Bhardwaj quit his job to pursue a career in teaching. An avid board gamer since childhood, Bhardwaj used his experience to come up with new ways to make learning interesting for his students. "I barely had any friends growing up, because my family moved around the country often. So board games were my friends," he shares. "I met my wife while working as a volunteer for Teach India. And during that time we used to experiment new ways to teach children. When you're learning straight out of textbooks, it's no fun. We would gamify lessons, essentially creating games to teach math, science and more," he shares.

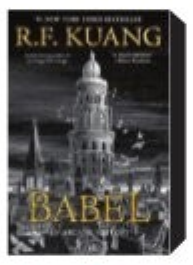
During the pandemic, the couple started playing board games to pass time and hosted games for friends. They soon realised they could probably turn their love for hosting board game parties into a business model. "We did some market research and my wife figured out a business plan and within six months, we brought the cafe to life," says Bhardwaj.

In addition to board games, there are also puzzles and other brain exercises to keep you occupied. The cafe has also been designed consciously to make it easier for people to play while enjoying food and drinks. Depending upon the size of your group, customers can choose from a variety of seating options such as 'loveseats' – an intimate two-person seating arrangement to the 'cubby hole' – designed to accommodate a large number of patrons.

What are some of the popular picks for games? "We have everything from very basic games that can keep toddlers engaged, such as Taco Cat Goat Cheese Pizza to high-strategy games like Imperium classic, Imperium legends – rarely found in India, Civilization, Settlers of Catan, to name a few," says Bhardwaj. "We also have a lot of desi games, including Namma Bengaluru, a tile-based city building game. The overarching theme is to building boundaries of different areas under a certain set of rules," says Bhardwaj.

To ensure that players aren't overwhelmed by the new games, the cafe also offers a 'game master' who explains the rules. "The key roadblock for most people when it comes to trying new games are the rules. Some complex games require you to read a lot even before you can play. We have simplified that process, where we explain the rules in less than 10 minutes, giving just enough information for them to start playing and offering additional support when required," he explains, adding, "In that time, if the players decide to not want to play, they can stop and pick a different game. They have the flexibility to choose what they want to play and for how long they want to play."

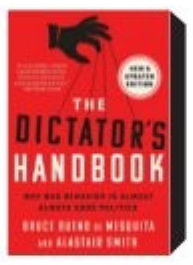
BOOK NOOK



Babel, Or the Necessity of Violence

By RF Kuang

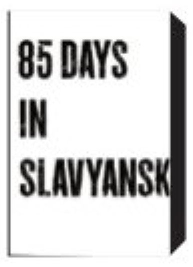
Babel, or the Necessity of Violence: an Arcane History of Oxford Translators' Revolution is Kuang's latest offering. The novel grapples with student revolutions, colonial resistance, and the use of language and translation as the dominating tool of the British empire.



The Dictator's handbook

By Bruce Bueno de Mesquita and Alastair Smith

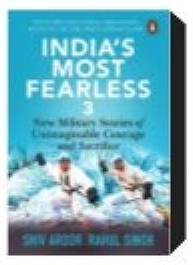
The authors explain how rulers take power and hold on to it using a kind of simple analysis that almost always explains political behaviour in most cases.



85 days in Slavyansk

by Alexander Zhuchkovsky

A first hand account of the 2014 Russo-Ukrainian conflict in Donbas and the only book in English written by an organiser of the rebellion.



India's Most Fearless 3: New Military stories of Unimaginable courage and sacrifice

By Shiv Aroor and Rahul Singh

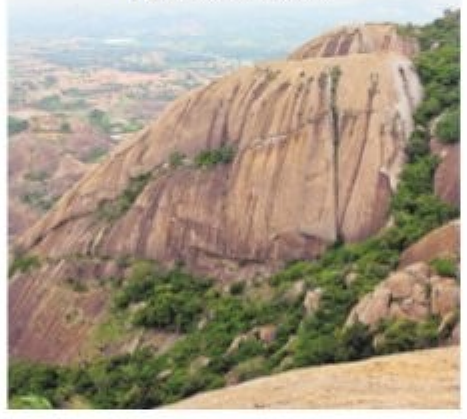
The authors in this installment brings us more stories of great acts of bravery by men of our armed forces.

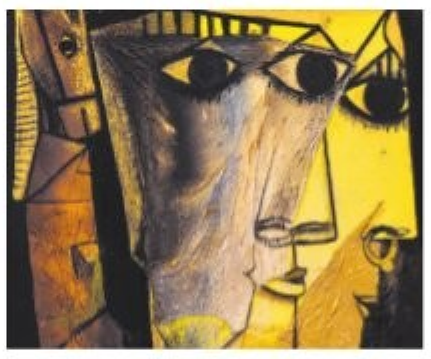
WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE

Happy Feet

A short trek amid lush greenery that you can undertake with your friends and closed ones.

WHERE: Uttari Betta, off Kanakapura Road
WHEN: Until March 19
DETAILS: insider.in





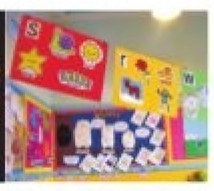
Abstract Art

Selected works of Padma Shri awardee and artist Paresh Maity are being displayed in the city this week. The exhibits include drawings, paintings and sculptures created through four decades of Maity's art practice.

WHERE: Gallery Sumukha, Wilson Garden
WHEN: Feb 26, 10.30am
DETAILS: www.sumukha.com

ABCs

A comprehensive children's learning programme that aims to lay a strong foundation for reading and writing through a mix of jolly phonics and conventional teaching. **WHERE:** Virtual **WHEN:** Feb 21, 5.15pm **DETAILS:** bookmyshow.com



LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION!

Through this course, learn how to use the pro mode on the smartphone camera and take the best possible pictures that you can. Suitable for beginners who want to learn the basics of photography.

WHERE: Virtual
WHEN: Until Feb 28, 4pm
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Soulful Evening

An open mic where you can sing along to your favourite songs or listen to the best cover songs from some of the talented artistes in town.

WHERE: Shoonya Centre for Art and Somatic Practices, Lal Bagh Main Road
WHEN: Until June 27, 7pm
DETAILS: insider.in

Runway Fashion

A three-day exhibition that brings together culture and craftsmanship across the country to present a one-step gateway to the world of fashion, from jewellery and designer bags to home decor and furnishing concepts.

WHERE: The Lalit Ashok, Seshadripuram
WHEN: Feb 21 onwards, 10am
DETAILS: allevents.in

CULTURAL CONFLUENCE

Members of the theatre troupe Jangamma Collective perform the play *Daklakalha Deevikavya* at the ongoing CGK National Theatre Festival organised at Ravindra Kalakshetra | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

QUICK FIX

ELAYAPPAM

Contributed by **Ryan Thomas**, Bengaluru

INGREDIENTS

- **Ghee:** 2 tsp
- **Jaggery:** 1 cup
- **Rice flour (fine):** 1 cup
- **Salt:** 1/2 tsp
- **Cardamom powder:** 1/4 tsp
- **Grated coconut:** 1 cup
- **Water:** 1.5 cup
- **Banana Leaves**

METHOD

- In a pan, heat ghee, jaggery and coconut. Add 1/4 tsp cardamom powder and mix well.
- Roast rice flour. In a saucepan, take water, ghee and salt. Boil for 2 minutes. Pour the hot water over the flour and mix using a spoon.
- Knead a smooth non-sticky dough by greasing your hand with some ghee.
- Warm the banana leaves and grease. Take a ball-sized dough and flatten over a banana leaf.
- Fold it in half and seal the sides. Place in a steamer for 15 minutes.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

VAKRASANA

(TWISTED POSE)

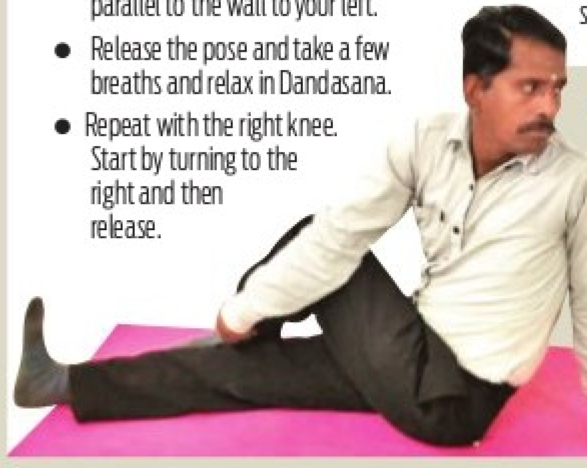
Vakrasana is a beginner level seated spinal twisting pose. It is an asymmetrical pose and this gently opens up shoulders and hips. It is considered as a base pose to all the twist pose variations. It tones the muscles of the back which brings spinal stability.

STEPS

- Sit in Dandasana (Staff Pose). Take a few breaths and expand the spine upwards, connecting the breath with the movement of the spine. Relax the body.
- Bring the left knee close to your chest and take a few breaths, then place the left foot outside of the right knee.
- Now, twist your upper body towards the left while the right elbow is placed outside of the left knee. Place the hand on the floor close to your right knee.
- Take a deep breath and twist the upper body to the left as much as possible, gazing at the wall behind you.
- Place the left hand behind you, closer to your lower back. This should help you raise your spine up and help you balance.
- With every exhalation, raise the spine and twist as much as possible trying to turn your neck and shoulders to bring it parallel to the wall to your left.
- Release the pose and take a few breaths and relax in Dandasana.
- Repeat with the right knee. Start by turning to the right and then release.

BENEFITS

- Tones internal organs like the digestive system, intestines, uterus and kidney.
- Stretches the spine and the muscles around it. Increases spinal flexibility.
- Releases the tension accumulated in the spine due to long sitting hours.
- Gives relief from back pain to an extent.
- Opens the shoulder and chest muscles.
- Prepares you for advanced poses.
- Opening of the chest helps practitioners with better breathing and increased lung capacity.
- Brings awareness, focus & concentration.
- Often considered as an energising or stress-relieving pose.
- Activates thyroid glands, improves their functioning and ensures a balanced hormone level in the body.
- Straightens the upper back and helps get rid of sagging chest and makes the shoulder look more aligned and stronger.



LIMITATIONS

People with spinal injury or recent surgery, acute pain in shoulders and knees, suffering from weakness in neck muscles or upper spine, spondylitis, and women during pregnancy and menstruation avoid this pose.

By N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

KHUFIYA (Hindi)

Khufiya is an upcoming Hindi-language neo-noir spy thriller film written, produced and directed by Vishal Bhardwaj. The film is based on Amar Bhushan's espionage novel Escape to Nowhere.

Cast: Tabu, Ali Fazal, Wamiqa Gabbi, Ashish Vidyarthi

- **Watch on:** Netflix

PREMAM (Malayalam)

Malar, a college instructor, revives his love interest as George's first love ends in disappointment. Over numerous stages of his amorous journey, he discovers his destiny.

Cast: Nivin Pauly, Sai Pallavi

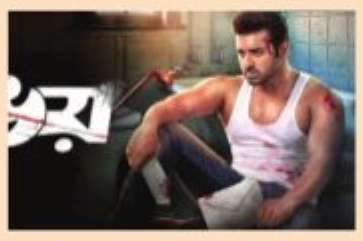
- **Watch on:** Disney+ Hotstar

JAYSUKH ZADPAYO (Gujarati)

Jaysuk is financially burdened by debts that his father left him. Even after he gets a job in a firm, he is troubled by a love triangle that involves his boss's sister and his lover. How will Jaysuk manage to come out of this mess without losing his job or damaging his love life?

Cast: Johnny Lever, Jimit Trivedi, Puja Joshi

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video



BHOY (Bengali)

Ayan, a swimming coach, lives with his ailing mother and an autistic sister. His life takes a drastic turn when he is entrapped in a false case by his uncle, who is after their property.

Cast: Ankush Hazra, Nusraat Faria Mazhar

- **Watch on:** ZEE5

MANN KASTURI RE (Marathi)

Love is the most sacred thing, but what happens when it is deluged by vices like ego, pride and misunderstanding? This love story unravells the various aspects of love, and the struggle of a mother, who is fighting for the well being of her son!

Cast: Abhinay Berde, Tejasswi Prakash, Veena Jamkar

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

OPERATION FRYDAY (Hindi)

The story follows Ghulam, a police informer to an encounter specialist named Sada Nair. His brother gets killed in a gang war, and Ghulam is determined to hold the entire police force responsible for his death. He then kickstarts his own business, only to be wrongfully involved in a series of bomb blasts across the city. Ghulam then decides to take matters into his own hands and starts to hunt down the wrongdoers.

Cast: Suniel Shetty, Randeep Hooda

- **Watch on:** ZEE5

GARUDA (Kannada)

Garuda revolves around the efforts of Vikram, a man on a mission to capture an evil mastermind who destroyed his family and is also a threat to the country.

Cast: Siddharth Mahesh, Srinagar Kitty, Aindrita Ray

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

FOREIGN

PHANTOM PROJECT (English)

An aspiring actor makes ends meet by working as a simulated patient in odd alternative therapy sessions. When his roommate vanishes, he's saddled with mounting problems, including a dog and a cardigan possessed by a ghost.

Cast: Juan Cano, Ingrid Isensee, Claudio

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

TRUE SPIRIT (English)

True Spirit follows Jessica Watson, an Australian teenager who becomes the youngest person ever to sail solo, non-stop around the world.

Cast: Cliff Curtis, Anna Paquin, Teagan Croft

- **Watch on:** Netflix

INFIESTO (English)

Two detectives are sent to investigate a strange occurrence in a mining town, located in the Asturian mountains. A young woman who was thought to be dead for months has suddenly reappeared, leaving the detectives to uncover what mysterious forces are at play.

Cast: Patricia Defran, Iria del Río, Isak Férriz

- **Watch on:** Netflix

ABBOUD AT HOME (English)

Two young boys must work together to stop robbers from breaking in after their family accidentally leaves them home alone during the COVID-19 lockdown.

Cast: Ahmed Bin Hussein, Bader Al Atwan

- **Watch on:** Netflix

SUBSCRIPTION

Prime Video:	₹179 per month
Zee5:	₹399 for 3 months
Disney+Hotstar:	₹199 for 3 months
Netflix:	₹149 per month

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ON THE ROAD TO STEER A 'THERAPEUTIC DRIVE'

A DOCTOR may never have told you this: Driving a car on an open highway can be a therapeutic experience – a stress-buster, a mind-coolant, almost a meditative experience, with or without music. While 'open' is the key word here, it is equally therapeutic on a congested city road, albeit with a difference. Living in Bengaluru, one can't do without the latter, but it can be a therapeutic experience, too.

Firstly, it is the geared car which is more exciting to control and drive, rather than the automatic ones, which are filling the market. It is the one that can offer a more complete therapeutic experience. Driving an automatic car can be as boring as eating boneless meat, or a seasoned cricket team beating kindergartners in a match. It is difficult to just sit and steer a vehicle while the gears are managed by automation. It feels incomplete unlike a geared car, which offers satisfaction, and a conviction, that when you reach your destination you have been in complete control all along, not leaving a penny to automation.

Long drives, like the ones you go on between cities and towns, offer a meditative experience. The road ahead is fairly open. You keep the vehicle within a lane, your senses alert as you hit the maximum permitted speed, and you take in all the sights, sounds and the smells in the air (open window advised) into your senses – the steady hum of the engine, the 'swoosh' of passing vehicles, the greenery on both sides of the road (or the brown, dry expanse, if greenery is lacking), the aroma of cooking in small, modest houses, the fragrance of manure (yes, fragrance!) while passing through hamlets and villages, and a whole range of them that fill up your senses. Driving requires you to keep your senses alert so you keep accidents at bay, but those very senses are also accommodating all these sights, sounds and smells as you cruise along. It's all the more so when you have company in the car and conversations tend to distract you from keeping the drive safe. That itself is a therapeutic exercise.

People say driving is stressful in a city like Bengaluru. Well, on the face of it, that may appear so. But there is a therapeutic side to it.

Every Bengaluru driver who completes a day without crashing into another vehicle or running someone down should allow taking some pats on the back, if not medals on the chest. Not only has such a motorist achieved an accomplishment by saving someone else's property, but has also saved countless lives. In a city devoid of footpaths, pedestrians walking on the roads – the spaces meant for motorised vehicles to ply – it is the motorist's achievement to have done the noble deed to emerge as a saviour of life and property. Such a motorist would have saved women with children, frail elders, two-wheeler riders zooming across lanes, and kids suddenly crossing the roads, including those begging on the city streets. All in a day!

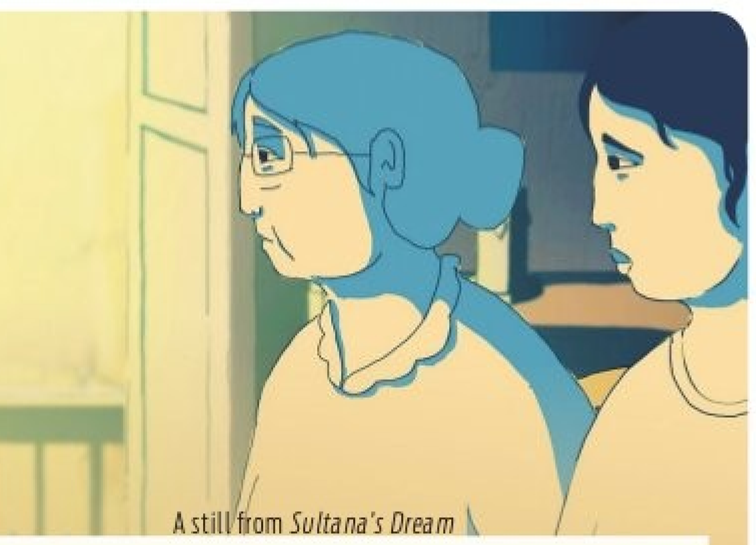
A motorist, who has ensured the safety of all these people, must boast about being a skilled driver. Instead of looking at driving as a stressful exercise, motorists who keep to road discipline should look at it as a sport and a therapy, which in itself can be a satisfying experience.

Driving – whether on an open highway or on a congested road – is like a microcosmic experience of life and living. Slow down when there is a problem, negotiate it, put it behind and speed up again. Don't look at the problem you passed in the rearview, keep your eyes ahead. Accelerate when the road is uphill, let go of the accelerator when it's downhill. Just relax and enjoy the drive! Enjoy life!

After the film festival Lost Migrations premiered recently, *CE* speaks to members of Spitting Image, a design and animation studio who are based out of the city, about their film and the lack of representation of women's stories from the Partition

VISUALISING FORGOTTEN PAIN

TUNIR BISWAS



A still from *Sultana's Dream*

MY favourite stories...If only freedom kept its promises" starts the animated short film *Sultana's Dream*, directed and animated by the city-based design and animation studio Spitting Image. The short film, based on a 1905 feminist utopian novella of the same name written by Rokeya Sahkawat Hossain, was premiered at Lost Migrations, a film festival that was held on February 18 at the Bangalore International Centre.

The screening, containing two other animated shorts *Seabirds* and *Rest In Paper*, is about one unifying theme that ties all the films together: the lost or forgotten stories of women during the Partition. The process of adapting a 1905 novella into a 12-minute animated short wasn't an easy task. "The story is essentially about this old lady Sultana who drifts into sleep while reading the book *Sultana's Dream* and in her dreams, she visits the feminist utopian land where women aren't a victim of the patriarchy. That fictionalised world then parallels with four semi-fictionalised vignettes of crimes against women from the Partition era. The biggest challenge for us was to give justice to the adaptation because we were dealing with limited time. For that, we would especially like to credit Sandhya Visvanathan who contextualised the many atrocities of that time so we could successfully narrativise the whole thing," says Shoumik Biswas, co-founder of Spitting Image along with Visvanathan, Aditya Bharadwaj and Aniruddh Menon.

All the films in Lost Migrations are worked on by people hailing from the UK, Pakistan and India, making it a cross-sectional production. The screenplay for *Sultana's Dream*, for instance, was written by Saadia Gardezi who is based out of Pakistan. "Gardezi and Sam Dalrymple are, in a way, the historians for this project. They did the hard research on it. By the time the script came to us, they had already collated their findings into this fiction piece. Their work was reflective of the state of migrant workers and how the middle class was affected at the time. Gardezi wrote a script that entailed how women from different walks of life had experienced the Partition and we largely focussed on bringing that into visual life in a respectful and imaginative way," shares Menon, adding that the making of the film started in 2020.

The larger goal of the project was to open up a dialogue about Partition. "The idea was not to create a descriptive or detailed version of the events that transpired but to open up a dialogue using the format of animation and showcase diverse voices," says Bharadwaj.

Biswas adds that they took a different approach to depict the violence against women during the Partition. "We decided that we're not going to show the violence and make the film gory. But instead, we showed the faces of the perpetrators and not hide them in the shadows, for example," concludes Biswas.

Saadia Gardezi and Sam Dalrymple are the historians for the project. They did the hard research — Aniruddh Menon, animator and designer

The idea was to open up a dialogue using the format of animation and showcase diverse voices — Aditya Bharadwaj, artiste

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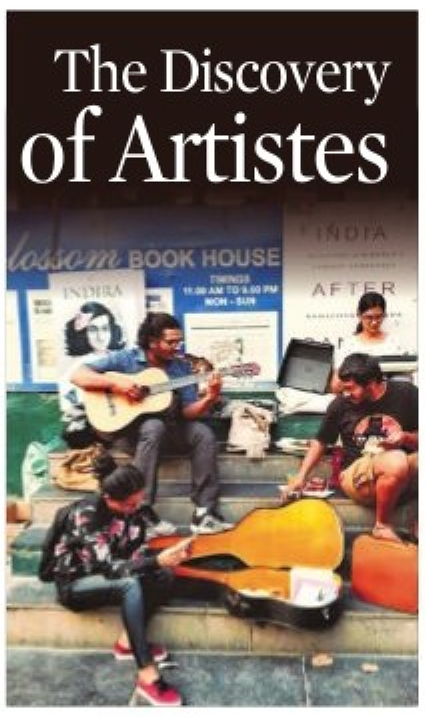

The Discovery of Artistes

TUNING IN
Bindu & Ambi Subramaniam

(The authors run SaPa - the Subramaniam Academy of Performing Arts)

A&R, or Artists and Repertoire, have long been thought to be the heart of a record label. A&R is the department responsible for sourcing the talent or artistes that a label will record.

Some of the great A&R executives like Clive Davis have discovered legends and shaped careers – he discovered Whitney Houston when she was 19 in a New York Nightclub and shaped her career, and was also responsible for signing artistes like Barry Manilow, Brad Paisley and Aretha Franklin. Artistes have been discovered in basements, on sidewalks while busking, and at hole in the wall performance venues. A&R legends have had the ability to spot raw talent and visualise the superstar that they can become.

Though methods of discovering artistes have evolved, the most important part of the process still seems to be discovery. Artistes want to be discovered. Labels want to discover the next great acts. Fans are looking for ways to aid discovery of their next favourite artiste.

In the last decade, the discovery has gone from just in person, to online. Justin Bieber was a child busking on the street, when his homemade Youtube videos went viral, and he was discovered by Scooter Braun. Adele was discovered when class projects she uploaded gained 10,000 plays quickly.

Although social media becomes the vehicle for discovery, A&R still plays the role of taking underground favourites, signing them, and building the creative teams to create the music and machine, that can catapult them to superstardom.

As an artiste, building a direct following is critical, but, especially if you are making a mainstream style of music, A&R discovery can make all the difference.

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I, **(OLD NAME) PUJA KUMARI,** D/o. Shankar Sahu, residing at Flat No. C303, Shriram Sahaana Suryavamshi Layout, Doddaballapur Road, Nagenahalli, Yelahanka, Bangalore-560064, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) PUJA KUMARI** to **(NEW NAME) PUJA KUMARI SAHU** vide affidavit Dated 09/02/2023 sworn before Notary B.V.Nagabhushana, Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **VETRISELVAN alias VETRI SELVAN** S/o Manickavasagam Arasu, age 42 years, R/o 81/18, 1st Cross, 2nd Block, Nandini Layout, Opp. Dr. Raj Kumar Samadhi, Bangalore-560 096 do hereby declare that my son's name is **NEERAV V.** now his initial V should be expanded as **VETRISELVAN,** henceforth he shall be known and called as **NEERAV VETRISELVAN** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 31st January 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **B.R. SHASHIKALA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SUJATHA SRINIVASA,** W/o Srinivasa Venkatappa, aged about 41 years, R/at No. 9, SLV Traders, Behind Old Police Station Road, K R Puram, Bangalore-560036, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SUJATHA NARAYANAPPA** to **SUJATHA SRINIVASA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SUJATHA SRINIVASA** only, vide affidavit dated 20-02-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **K.B. SADHASHIVAPPA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mr. RAJESH KUMAR SAH,** aged 35 years, Son of Yogendra Sah, residing at No.30, 'Gayathri Nilaya', HMR Layout, 1st Cross, Medarahalli, Chikkabanavara Post, Bengaluru North Taluk, Bengaluru - 560090, Karnataka, India, HAVE CHANGED MY SON'S NAME FROM HIS OLD NAME **"ADHITYA KUMAR SAH"** TO HIS NEW NAME **"ADHITYA. R"** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 09/02/2023 DULY SWORN TO BEFORE **SRI. RAMASANJEEVAIAH. K.V.,** ADVOCATE AND NOTARY PUBLIC, GOVT. OF INDIA, BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **INDIRABAI BAKKAPPA,** aged about 63 years, W/o Sri Bakkappa, R/at No. 1237, (405), Sir M Vishweshwaraiah Layout, 5th Block, Muddinapalya, Bangalore-560091, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **INDIRABAI** to **INDIRABAI BAKKAPPA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **INDIRABAI BAKKAPPA** only, vide affidavit dated 20-02-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **K.C. SHASHIKALA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, ANJANAPPA.V S/o Late. Venkataramanappa aged about 39 years R/a @ no.61 Ramasandra Village Sulikere post Kengeri Hobli Bangalore South taluk, Bangalore -60. Now my son Name in date of birth Certificate /Aadhaar card etc entered as **DIGANTH GOWDA .A** Now I have changed my son (minor) name to **JAGADISH GOWDA .A** for future purposes vide affidavit dt 13.02.2023 sworn on behalf of my minor son **JAGADISH GOWDA.A** before advocate and notary Mr. Ravi.Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SRI RAMESH .R,** S/o Rathinam, aged about 40 years, R/at #150, Tarahunse Road, Adiganahalli, Bangalore-560064, today at Doddaballapur Town, do hereby declare that both the names i.e., **RAMESH & RAMESH .R** are one and the same and belongs to me only, vide affidavit dated 02-01-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **S. CHANDRASHEKARA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SONALI BANERJEE,** W/o Roop Banerjee, aged about 49 years, R/at Flat No. 608, Birla Apple Spire Building, 127/1, Mysore Road, Nayandahalli, Bengaluru-560039, Karnataka India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SONALI BANDYOPADHYAY** to **SONALI BANERJEE,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **SONALI BANERJEE** only, vide affidavit dated 17-02-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MANISH ATHREYA,** aged about 22 years, S/o Sathish Ramamoorthy, R/at #109/7, Puttangi Layout, 2nd Cross, Tavarekere, Bangalore-560029, Karnataka, India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MANISH SATHISH ATHREYA** to **MANISH ATHREYA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **MANISH ATHREYA** only, vide affidavit dated 20-02-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **ARAVIND PATIL G.G.** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ROOP BANERJEE,** S/o Nirmalendu Bandyopadhyay, aged about 52 years, R/at Flat No. 608, Birla Apple Spire Building, 127/1, Mysore Road, Nayandahalli, Bengaluru-560039, Karnataka India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ROOP BANDYOPADHYAY** to **ROOP BANERJEE,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ROOP BANERJEE** only, vide affidavit dated 17-02-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RISHIKA BANERJEE,** D/o Roop Banerjee, aged about 19 years, R/at Flat No. 608, Birla Apple Spire Building, 127/1, Mysore Road, Nayandahalli, Bengaluru-560039, Karnataka India, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RISHIKA BANDYOPADHYAY** to **RISHIKA BANERJEE,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **RISHIKA BANERJEE** only, vide affidavit dated 17-02-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **GANGARAJU .B.N** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MARYAM,** D/O. ABDUL SALIM, RESIDING AT #119, U SURGICAL CROSS, AROKIAMMA LAYOUT, VENKATESHPURAM, ARABIC COLLEGE POST, BENGALURU 560045 HAVE CHANGED MY NAME TO **MARYAM ABDUL SALIM,** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 20/02/2023 BEFORE NOTARY **GANGARAJU.B.N,** BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RASHEEDA KHANUM,** RESIDING AT #119, U SURGICAL CROSS, AROKIAMMA LAYOUT, VENKATESHPURAM, ARABIC COLLEGE POST, BENGALURU 560045, HAVE CHANGED THE NAME OF MY MINOR DAUGHTER FROM **FATMA** TO **FATMA ABDUL SALIM,** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: **20/02/2023** BEFORE NOTARY **GANGARAJU.B.N,** BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **RASHEEDA KHANUM,** RESIDING AT #119, U SURGICAL CROSS, AROKIAMMA LAYOUT, VENKATESHPURAM, ARABIC COLLEGE POST, BENGALURU 560045, HAVE CHANGED THE NAME OF MY MINOR DAUGHTER FROM **NABEELA** TO **NABEELA ABDUL SALIM,** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 20/02/2023 BEFORE NOTARY **GANGARAJU.B.N,** BENGALURU.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GLYNIA TERESA ELLIS** LEGALLY WEDDED SPOUSE OF NO.058544, EX-LEADING STEWARD, NAME: ELLIS ETHELBERT AUBREY, PRESENTLY RESIDING AT NO.60, KSFC LAYOUT, 2ND MAIN, OIL MILL ROAD, LINGARAJAPURAM, ST. THOMAS TOWN POST, BENGALURU 560084, HAVE CHANGED MY NAME FROM **GLYNIA TERESA ELLIS** TO **GLYNIS TERESA ELLIS** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 17/02/2023 BEFORE NOTARY **A.GERARD,** BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **HUMERA BANU** R/at No.215, 11th Cross Near Masjid E Farooq, Williams Town, Bengaluru- 560046 have changed my name to **HUMERA JAVEED** vide affidavit dated: 16/2/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **NAIDU LILAVATI RAJGOPAL** R/at No.27, Geetha Nilayam, 10th Cross, Vinayaka Temple Road, Mukthi Nagar, KG Halli, Bengaluru- 560045 have changed my name to **LEELAVATHI RAJGOPAL** vide affidavit dated: 16/2/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **PAVANA DHANARAJ** R/at No.T-01, 3rd Floor, Yashaswini Golden Meadows, 4th Cross, Hennur Main Road, HBR 4th Block, Bengaluru- 560043, have changed my name to **PAVANA KAMAGONDANAHALLI CHANDRAIAH (PAVANA K C)** vide affidavit dated: 16/2/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHEETAL RAO SRIKANTAPURAM,** D/o. **Rajasekhar Suswaram** (Late) R/at No. 4 I Sankalp Lakshmi 4th Floor, Opposite Gulp Chaat, VV Mohala, Mysore-570002 today camp at Bengaluru. Have changed my name to **SHEETAL SUSWARAM RAJASEKHAR,** vide affidavit dt:16.02.2023 before Notary **A.R. Muneer Ahmed,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SATISH C SHAMANNA,** RESIDING AT #899, 1ST FLOOR, 20TH MAIN, 39TH CROSS, 4TH 'T' BLOCK, JAYANAGAR, BENGALURU 560041 DECLARE THAT NAME OF MOTHER IN THE 10TH STD (CBSE) MARKS CARD OF MY DAUGHTER **NIYATI SATISH** TO BE CORRECTED FROM **RANJITHA SHASHTRY.S** TO **RANJITHA SHASTRY.S** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 15/02/2023 SWORN BEFORE VI ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE, BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SATISH C SHAMANNA,** RESIDING AT #899, 1ST FLOOR, 20TH MAIN, 39TH CROSS, 4TH 'T' BLOCK, JAYANAGAR, BENGALURU 560041 DECLARE THAT NAME OF MOTHER IN THE 10TH STD (CBSE) MARKS CARD OF MY DAUGHTER **SANJANA SATISH** TO BE CORRECTED FROM **RANJITHA SHASHTRY.S** TO **RANJITHA SHASTRY.S** VIDE AFFIDAVIT DATED: 15/02/2023 SWORN BEFOREVI ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE, BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SYED MOINUDDIN RASHEED** R/at No. 76, 1st Floor, Mannat, Aditya Nagar, MS Palya, Bengaluru- 560097, have changed my name to **SYED MOINUDDIN** vide affidavit dated: 15/2/2023 Before Notary **C.Sharada** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **FIROZ NAGRI** F/o Minor Son **ZOHER** Agd 16 Yrs R/at 31/1 Royal Hermitage, Gottigere Blr-83, Hv Changed his Name As **ZOHAIR FIROZ NAGRI** vide affidavit Dt: 20/2/23 Sworn to Notary **Sakalesh** Blr.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Abdul Rauf,** S/o late Abdul Rahim, aged about 77 years, residing at No.32, 2nd Main, 11th cross, Byrappa Layout, Govindapura, Near Rashidia Masjid, Arabic College, Bengaluru - 560 045, have changed my name from **Rahim Abdul Rauf** to **Abdul Rauf** and my father's correct name is **Abdul Rahim** instead of **H.Abdul Rahim.**, vide affidavit dated 20/2/2023 sworn to before T. Mallikarjuna advocate and notary Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **HASINA SAIF SULEIMAN KHALFAN AL HARTHI** R/at No.63, 14th Cross, Near ST Anthonys Church, Gangondanahalli, Bengaluru- 560039 have changed my name to **HASINA PASHA** Vide affidavit dated: 20/2/2023 Before Notary **R.Basavaraja** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **HUSSEN SAHED SYED** R/at No.242/1, 17th Cross, Near Goverment School, Gangondanahalli, Bengaluru- 560039 have changed my name to **HUSSAIN SAHEB SYED** vide affidavit dated: 20/2/2023 Before Notary **R.Basavaraja** Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **POOJA RAMESHA,** W/o. Hemanth Kumar, Residing at No. 118, Kalkere Main Road, Near AMC College, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru Rural-560083, have changed my name to **HARSHITHA HEMANTH KUMAR,** vide affidavit dt:20.02.2023 before notary **B.V. NAGABHUSHANA** Bengaluru.

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CHANGE OF NAME

I **ABIDA BEGUM,** W/o K.K K.K Vijayan, age about 58 Years, residing at No. 16, 7th Cross, Lakshmi Layout, Munekolalu, Marathahalli Post, Bangalore North, Bangalore - 560037, I state that my correct name is **ABIDA BEGUM** as per Aadhar Card, but P.F documents wrongly entered my name as ABIDHA BEGUN. change my Name **ABIDHA BEGUM to ABIDA BEGUM** I hereby further declare that the name **ABIDA BEGUM** and **ABIDHA BEGUM** are one and the same. vide Affidavit dated 11/10/2022 before Notary B.M. Chandrashekar, Advocate & Notary Public, Koramangala, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **THILAKA A,** Age about 48 years, W/o. Joseph Roy K, R/at No. 958, 2nd Cross, Ramaiah Layout, Kammanahalli Main Road, St. Thomas Town, Bengaluru - 560 084, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **CAROLINE SANDRA** to **THILAKA A** vide affidavit dated 20.2.2023 sworn to before V. Srinivasa Reddy, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

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Djilali Rez-Kallah

Avinash Vijaykumar's *My Hero* marks the debut of Hollywood actor Djilali Rez Kallah

The debutant director gives a brief about his film, which officially gets launched today

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AVINASH Vijaykumar, who is marking his directorial debut with *My Hero*, is bringing down noted American actor Djilali Rez-Kallah to play the lead. The film will have

'I have a lot of reasons to be excited about Juliet 2: Brinda Acharya'

CE FEATURES

A still from the film

BRINDA Acharya has a lot of reasons to be excited about her upcoming film *Juliet 2*. "*Juliet 2* will be my first female-centric film, and I play the central character in it. Secondly, the film is getting a multilingual release in 5 languages," she says. However, the film will release first release on February 24 in Kannada.

Juliet will be out in two parts and curiously, the second part of the film will release first. "The director Virat Gowda is also working on the prequel," says Brinda, in her conversation with CE.

"Is it possible for a woman to always have a man by her side, for her safety? Certainly not. Women can protect themselves, take care of the family, and there are a lot of examples who have succeeded in this. Juliet in this film doesn't have a Romeo, and she is a lone fighter. That is the concept of *Juliet 2*. The director was very particular about the title, as he felt it will do justice to the story," she says.

"Juliet is about an independent girl, who has a very close bonding with her father. The story revolves around her and the challenges she faces when she goes back to her hometown. How she fights back in fulfilling her father's dreams is brought through an action crime drama," she adds.

Brinda had a lot of firsts in *Juliet 2*, "This film demanded me to deadly action sequences, for which I got into training martial arts for 2 months. Since this is a dark subject, the director felt that along with physical ability, we also needed mental strength. We were put into workshops where Anup Sagar, Roy Badiger, Srikanth,and Kush Acharya and I were put in a dark room for 1 hour every day for 2 months to sink in that energy," she explains.

Director, who was looking for a fresh face, chose Brinda, just by looking at her photo. "There is a perception that female actors with a strong build can only do action sequences. I was also not confident with stunts. But the director was confident that I will do it. He always said that women should not consider themselves weak, and body forms shouldn't limit anyone. I was amazed by the confidence he had about me, and that pushed me to pull off the role in *Juliet 2*," she says.

Produced by Likith Koitan, under the PL Productions banner, Juliet 2 has music scored by Sandeep Ballal and Rajath Rao. The background score is composed by Sachin Basrur and Shento Vato has handled the cinematography.

Brinda Acharya

Legendary Kann